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All my Seeds and Plants sent Postpaid

# MY LIST OF CHOICE 1910 MY THREE WARRANTS FLOWER SEEDS

1. They are fresh and of the best grown.
2. I have only reliable kinds and such novelties as have established value.
3. All mixtures are made by myself from named varieties only.
4. My packet prices are less than the usual rates, allowing a larger assortment for the same outlay.
5. All orders for seeds are filled with the utmost promptness.
6. I am a real, live woman and give personal attention to my business.

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## FREE: MY "CULTURE OF VEGETABLES"

A carefully prepared booklet on growing vegetable seeds will be given free with every order for vegetable seeds amounting to 10 cents or over.

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Price, 5 cents. Free with orders of 25 cents or over.

It is not enough to sow seed; It must be done right and under proper conditions. My booklet tells you how to do it. Thousands of my customers have found it an invaluable guide. This year I have carefully revised and somewhat enlarged its scope, and it will be more helpful than ever.

It is practical, not technical, for the amateur, not the professional; and even the least skillful can understand and follow its simple yet comprehensive directions. To cover part of the cost, I make a nominal charge of 5 cts. Free, if asked for, with any order of 25c. or over.

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if sent by either postoffice or express money order, bank draft or registered letter, **but by no other method.** You may select extra flower seeds in packets to the amount of the cost of sending money by any one of these methods. If you remit by stamps or silver, it will be at your risk. If stamps are sent use one or two-cent stamps, and do not stick them to your letter. It is comparatively safe to send small amounts of silver, but it should never be put in loose in the envelope. Sew it between pieces of pasteboard or cloth.

## 2. I Warrant My Seeds to Reach You,

provided I receive your order, and you notify me of their non-arrival within two weeks of the time you sent your order, and give date and enclose duplicate, of which you should always retain a copy. You should receive your seeds within two or three days of the actual time it takes the mail to come and go between the two points, as I aim to fill all orders within twenty-four hours of their receipt (except plant and bulb orders). Promptness is my motto: Try me.

## WHY YOU DO NOT RECEIVE YOUR SEEDS.

- a. **No address given.** I receive many orders without signature or postoffice being given. Be sure to sign your name.
- b. **Insufficient address.** If there is mail delivery do not fail to give street or rural delivery number.
- c. **Indistinct writing.** Take special pains to write name and postoffice distinctly.
- d. **No title given.** Ladies should always give title, Miss or Mrs., especially if initials only are signed.
- e. **Fault in Postal Service.** Sometimes packages, even when properly addressed, are lost or mis-carried in the mails.

## 3. I Warrant My Seeds to be Good.

No one can promise that seeds will grow, nor do I, as so much depends on the conditions. I know by actual testing that my seeds are good, but if any failed to grow for you last year and you feel that the failure is due to lack of vitality in seeds, and not to some other cause, you may feel at liberty when placing your order with me this year to include such varieties. **Seeds of Greenhouse Plants**, which generally require special care, are excepted from this offer to replace. In making application for seeds to be replaced, please refer to date or number of last spring's order in which it was included.

Send for Terms to Agents to Sell My Choice Seeds.



# MY 1910 LIST OF PREMIUMS

ONE PACKET FREE WITH EVERY 25 CENTS OF YOUR ORDER

(Sulpho-Tobacco Soap and Lawn Grass excepted).

1. I want you to read and take advantage of this liberal offer. In this list are many things not largely called for, but it is because they are not well known; once tried they will be classed with your "must-haves." Here is an opportunity to experiment without extra cost.

2. Premiums must be selected when the order is sent. Orders at different times cannot be taken together to entitle one to a premium. For convenience the List of Premiums will be found printed on the order sheet. Check off the ones you wish.

## LIST OF PREMIUM SEEDS VEGETABLES

1. Cabbage. Large Red Drumhead. Splendid for pickling.
2. Leek. Large London Flag. A popular sort.
3. Lettuce. Some variety from my list, page 57; my choice.
4. Celery. Giant Paschal. A selection from Golden self-blanching.
5. Okra, or Gumbo. White Velvet. Used to thicken and flavor soups.
6. Pumpkin. Connecticut Field. Good for pies or for stock.
7. Radish. Some variety from my list, page 57; my choice.
8. Radish. Winter Rose. Most popular for winter or fall use.
9. Squash. Boston Marrow. Esteemed by many above any other sort.
10. Swiss Chard, or Summer Spinach. Grows like beets. Used for greens, or to cook like Asparagus.
11. Tomato. Golden Queen. Splendid for preserves.
12. Tomato, June Pink. New. The earliest variety. The fruits grow in clusters and are of excellent quality; has an unusually long bearing season.

## FLOWERS

13. Amaranthus. Red-leaved. Tall growing, highly ornamental plants.
14. Aster, du Mont Esterel. A splendid new French strain of large-flowering Comet Asters. Two sorts; white, then changing to rose or to blue.
15. Aster. Crown. White center, with wide margin of varying colors.
16. Cockscornb. Ostrich Feather. Especial quality. Crimson and orange shades mixed.
17. Dahlia. Single Prize. Fine single sorts mixed.

## LIST OF PREMIUM SEEDS—Continued

18. English Daisy. The Bride. New very double, large-flow-ering, pure white.
19. Eschscholtzia. Burbank's Crimson. Lovely rosy-crimson flower.
20. Helonium and Hellopsis. The two mixed. See page 30.
21. Hollyhock. Annual. A new strain that blooms the first year.
22. Mourning Bride. Othello. Fine exhibition sort; very black.
23. Nasturtium. Dwarf. My selection according to surplus.
24. Nasturtium. Tall. My selection according to surplus.
25. Pansy. President Carnot. White, with five dark violet blotches.
26. Petunia. Rosy Morn. Handsome bedding Petunia; a true pink.
27. Phlox. Salmon Rose. Deep salmon pink, with star-shaped eye.
28. Pink. Scotch or Grass Pink. Single varieties mixed.
29. Poppy. Novelty mixture, large double white with crinkled and fringed red edges.
30. Salpiglossis. Faust. Black Crimson, beautifully veined.
31. Stock. Snowflake. Large double white, Princess Alice strain.
32. Sweet Peas. Good Mixed. These are often complimented.
33. Sweet William. New Annual. Dark red, blooming the first year.
34. Tall Lobelia. This grows upright, about a foot high, and is covered with the same lovely blue flowers as in the trailing sorts. N. B. At the last of the season, if I should be out of any of the things you ask for, I will select something else from the list that I think you will like. I expect, however, to have a sufficient supply to fill all requests.

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Minneapolis, Minn., Feb., 09. "I am interested in seeing you succeed in your venture, and as I compare this lovely new catalog with the first one you issued (16 years ago) I can see that you are steadily gaining ground. The main thing is to be reliable, and you must succeed."—ALISTAIR N. DAY.





6 PACKETS  
FOR

10 Cents.

Over 50 Different  
Kinds and Colors;  
easy for the  
children to grow

## Children's Collection

ONLY 10 CENTS

- Aster. Lovely mixed colors. Price, 50.  
Cosmos. Early-flowering. Price, 40.  
Hit or Miss. A mixed package of many different flowers. Price, 40.  
Pansy. Finest mixed. Price, 40.  
Sweet Peas, Giants of California. Mixed. Price, 30.  
Zinnia. Special Mixed. Price, 40.  
Total, 240c., for 10c.

## MIXED HARDY CLIMBERS.

Balloon Vine, Brazilian Morning Glory, Bryonopsis Laciniata, Canary Bird Flower, Centrosma Grandiflora, Cypress Gourd, Hyacinth Bean, Japanese Hop, Japanese Morning Glory, Mina Lobata, Momordica Balsamina, Moonflower Grandiflora, Scarlet Runner, Sweet Pea Everlasting.

Large Packet, Mixed, 15 Varieties, 10c.

## SPECIAL OFFER 50c.

If you don't know what to select, send me 50 cents, and I will send you my "Culture of Flowers" free and 65 cents worth of choice annuals that will make your garden a blaze of bloom.

## SOME THINGS NEW.

Blue Rose. Developed after five years of experimentation, p. 52.  
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## MIXED PERENNIAL SEEDS.

Why not have a bed of hardy Perennials? It requires but little care when once established, but it will afford a succession of bloom from the earliest springtime thruout the season. To assist my patrons in securing a bed, I offer mixed packets of perennial seeds, containing the following perennials and biennials, described in the catalog. See "Culture of Flowers," p. 10.

No. 1. Achillea Ptarmica. 2. Agrostemma Coronaria. 3. Anchusa, Capensis. 4. Arabis. 5. Asperula. 6. Broomrape. 7. Boltonia. 8. Candytuft, Iberis Gibraltica. 9. Canterbury Bell. 10. Chrysanthemum Maximum. 11. Columbine. 12. Coreopsis Lanceolata. 13. English Daisy. 14. Dianthus Plumosus. 15. Digitalis, or Foxglove. 16. Feverfew, Golden Feather. 17. Feverfew Matricaria. 18. Forget-me-not. 19. Gaillardia Grandiflora. 20. Garden Heliotrope. 21. Gladiolus. 22. Gypsophila Paniculata. 23. Heuchera Sanguinea. 24. Hibiscus. 25. Hollyhock. 26. Larkspur. 27. Lavender. 28. Lychnis. 29. Wallflower.

No. 2. To give my patrons a still greater variety, I offer a second mixture, including a number not described in my regular list. 1. Achillea Millefolium (rose). 2. Aconitum Napellus (blue). 3. Alyssum Saxatile (yellow). 4. Anemone Coronaria (mixed). 5. Arctotis Grandis. 6. Baptisia Australis (blue). 7. Broomrape Japonica. 8. Campanula Carpathica (blue). 9. Dictamnus Albus (white). 10. Gentiana Acaulis (blue and yellow). 11. Geum Atrosanguineum (scarlet). 12. Linum, Perenne. 13. Lunaria Biennis (Honesty). 14. Marguerite Carnation. 15. Penstemon (mixed). 16. Phyllis Franchetti. 17. Pink (Chinese). 18. Platycodon. 19. Poppy (Iceland). 20. Poppy (Oriental). 21. Pyrethrum Uliginosum. 22. Salvia Argentea. 23. Senecio Elegans. 24. Snapdragon. 25. Statice Latifolia. 26. Stocks. 27. Sweet Rocket. 28. Sweet William. 29. Scabiosa Caucasia.

Either of the above Mixtures, Large Packet, 10c.

1 oz. Mixed Perennials (last year's seed), 15c.

## HERB GARDEN

Ten popular aromatic plants, valuable for medicine, garnishing, flavoring or imparting pleasant odors. 1. Caraway. 2. Coriander. 3. Dill. 4. Lavender. 5. Rosemary. 6. Sage. 7. Sweet Fennel. 8. Sweet Marjoram. 9. Summer Savory. 10. Thyme.  
Large Packet, 10 varieties, mixed, 10c. Each variety, per pkt., 3c.



## SELECT ASTERS

### READ MOST CAREFULLY.

**What varieties of Asters shall I buy?** An important question, especially for those who grow for exhibition purposes.

**WILL YOU TAKE MY JUDGMENT?** For Early, Queen of the Market. For Medium, Comet and allied styles, such as Hohenzollern or Ostrich Plume. For Late, Semple's Branching.

**Almost all the novelties** of the last few years have been variations of these three types and I consider them the most desirable.

**All the Late Branching Asters**, listed by different seedsmen, under various names, belong to the Semple's class.

**Lack of Space** forbids much exploiting of my Asters, but I am not afraid to say that **my stock is equal to the best**. My prices are low, but please note that I follow my usual custom of lessening the size of the package instead of raising the price. Wouldn't you rather have a larger assortment for the same outlay?



*New Crego Aster* (See description, page 4)



Note  
my  
Novel-  
ties.  
Small  
Packets  
Low  
Prices.

### GIANT COMET ASTER

The flowers are very large and the petals so twisted and curled as to give a decidedly Chrysanthemum effect. Splendid for cutting. As they are medium early, grow them with late varieties for a succession of bloom.

Price of each, per pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

**Giant Comet, The Bride.** At first pure white, then changing to a lovely pink and finally to a beautiful rose.

**Giant Comet, Lavender and Blue.** Various shades of lavender and blue, including Vick's Lavender Gem.

**Giant Comet, Pink and Rose.** Various shades of pink, including the new Salmon Rose.

**Giant Comet, White.** Pure White, beautifully fringed.

**Giant Comet, Mixed.** A special mixture of many choice varieties.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Feb., 09. "The most beautiful bed of Asters I ever saw was at a neighbor's last year. She recommended you to me very highly and told me to be sure and order from you."—MRS. B. F. WHITEHEAD.





### WHITE INVINCIBLE ASTER

One of Henderson's famous strains. It belongs to the late branching class and is one of the finest white asters grown, as shown by the cut, taken from nature.

Always a favorite for exhibition purposes, it has won many awards at fairs and flower shows. Small Pkt., 75 seeds, 50.

### ROSE-FLOWERED ASTER

A splendid Aster, bearing profusely, large double flowers, suggesting the beauty of the rose. The branches hug the main stem rather closely, so that the flowers are produced in a great mass, with striking effect. Medium early. Stems long and fine for cutting. Mixed Pkt., 125 seeds, 50.

### NEW CREGO ASTER

A splendid new Aster of the comet type which has been under selection and improvement for the past ten years by an expert grower until it has reached a perfection unsurpassed by any other of this class. The blossoms measure 4 to 5 inches when well grown. The petals are long and much twisted, producing a fluffy appearance, more like a chrysanthemum than any other aster. See cut on page 3. **Pink Crego.** Lovely shell pink. Pkt., 65 seeds, 50. **White Crego.** Pkt., 65 seeds, 50. The two mixed, Pkt., 50.

### DAYBREAK ASTER

A much advertised Aster, prized because of its earliness and profusion of bloom. Delicate pink turning to white. Pkt., 90 seeds, 50.

### DWARF MIXED ASTER

Dwarf Asters are pretty to edge a bed or to grow in pots. They bloom profusely, forming a little mound of flowers almost hiding the foliage. My mixture includes three favorite sorts, **Bouquet**, **Chrysanthemum** and **Comet**, all double, in many colors. Pkt., 125 seeds, 50.

### FIREBALL ASTER, or Dwarf Triumph

A brilliant Aster, with beautiful double flowers of brightest scarlet. Very effective for bedding or as an edging. Pkt., 125 seeds, 50.

### JEWEL, OR BALL, ASTER

Petals are incurved, forming handsome ball-shaped flowers. Tall, much-branched and a great bloomer. Mixed. Pkt., 100 seeds, 50.; 2 pkts., 80.

### OSTRICH PLUME OR HOHENZOLLERN, ASTER

Of the popular comet type, but the blossoms are larger, emphasizing the beautiful Chrysanthemum effect. Many beautiful colors. Mixed. Pkt., 125 seeds, 50.; 2 pkts., 80. **Ostrich Plume White.** Pkt., 125 seeds, 50.; 2 pkts., 80.

### QUEEN OF THE MARKET ASTER

This ought to be included in every purchase because it comes two or three weeks earlier than any other sort and is really a handsome aster. **Queen of the Market, Pink, Purple, White or Mixed**, each separate. Pkt., 125 seeds, 50.; 2 pkts., 80.

**White Parisian Market.** An extra early white aster of this type. I tried it this summer and was immensely pleased. It bloomed 3 or 4 weeks earlier than any other sort. Try it. Pkt., 90 seeds, 50.

### TRUFFAUT'S PEONY PERFECTION ASTER

One of my customers said these were among her largest and finest Asters. Petals are loosely incurved, giving a perfection of form unsurpassed. Mixed from named varieties. Pkt., 125 seeds, 50.; 2 pkts., 80. **Collection of Six Peony Asters.** Superb rose, superb sky-blue, dark blood-red, snow-white, bright rose and black-blue. 6 half pkts., 15c.



## OTHER CHOICE ASTERS

**Victoria Aster, Mixed.** A most desirable strain, about identical with the Jubilee and Washington Asters; much used by florists because it is medium early. The blossoms are large, very double and compact, and so numerous as to form a pyramid of almost solid bloom. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

**Vick's Cardinal Aster.** This is a medium early branching Aster, a great bloomer and in color a dark cardinal red. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.

**Vick's Violet King.** A splendid branching Aster, with unusually large blossoms of a pleasing soft violet-lilac, as handsome in form as a Chrysanthemum. Pkt., 90 seeds, 5c.

**Yellow Aster.** The best yellow Aster; of medium size and of quilled form. Very pretty. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

## ASTER MIXTURES

### EXHIBITION WHITE ASTERS

To satisfy the demand for White Asters, I offer what I consider the best six sorts for the garden, or for exhibition purposes, in a special mixture; viz., Crego, Giant, Comet, Henderson's Invincible, Ostrich Plume, Semple's and Parisian Market.

**Exhibition White Asters, Mixed.** Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkt., 8c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 35c.

**Collection Exhibition White Asters.** 6 Half Pkts., 15c.

### ASTERS, PRIZE MIXTURE

This is my mixture of only large-flowering varieties, especially designed for those who are raising flowers for exhibition or commercial purposes. It includes all the desirable large-flowering forms in an infinite range of colors, especially of the lighter shades. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 35c.

### IMPERIAL ASTER MIXTURE

For those who would like to try all of my varieties I offer a mixed packet containing everything I list. A packet of this mixture will surprise you with almost every shade of Aster grown, giving early and late bloomers, and many styles and shades of flowers. I have hundreds of letters commending my Asters and know that no other general mixture will give better satisfaction. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25c.

### ASTERS, GOOD MIXED

A mixture of my left-over seed, including only such varieties as test well. A large percentage will germinate. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3c.

## SPECIAL OFFERS

**Ten Full Packets of Aster Seed.** Your choice 40c.  
**Sixteen Half Packets Asters, 40c.** All of my splendid varieties, Comet, Crego, Daybreak, Dwarf, Fireball, Invincible, Jewel, Ostrich Plume, Peony, Queen of Market, Rose-flowered, Semple's, Victoria, Vick's Cardinal, Vick's Violet King, Yellow.



### SEMPLER'S BRANCHING ASTER

**The Handsomest Strain of Asters Grown.** Especially prized by florists. The flowers are large, chrysanthemum-shaped and very double, and being borne on long, stiff stems are splendid for cutting. Coming late, they prolong the Aster season until frost. Use this strain with the Queen of the Market and the Comet and have a succession of the most beautiful Asters from mid-summer to latest frosts.

Price of each, per pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkt., 8c.

**Semple's Crimson and Deep Rose shades, mixed.**

**Semple's Deep Violet,** an exceedingly rich color.

**Semple's Lavender.** Beautiful light lavender.

**Semple's Shell Pink.** No more satisfactory Aster grown.

**Semple's White.** Pure white.

**Semple's Mixed.** My own mixture of the above and other named sorts.

Clarkson, N. Y. "Your Asters were the finest I ever had."—Mrs. M. E. Hoyt.





## SUPERB GIANT PRIZE PANSIES

**Giant Aurlkel Pansies.** Flowers of showy markings, in each having the effect of a large, bright eye of brilliant color. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

**Giant Blue Pansies.** Giant Emperor William, a beautiful ultramarine blue, also handsome shades in light, black and violet blue. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

**Giant Black Pansies.** Unusually large, glossy and jet-black, a very striking pansy. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

**Giant Bronze Pansies.** Handsome new, large-flowering bronze pansies in splendid mixed shades. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

**Giant Pansy, "Masterpiece."** The petals are curled or fluted giving the flower a unique double appearance. The colors are beautiful, some tints being distinct from those found in any other pansy. Pkt. 100 seeds, 8c.

## ROYAL CHALLENGE PANSIES

This is my special mixture, and I take great pains to make it the best on the market. It contains my Giant Pansies described on pages 6 and 7, and many other desirable strains from the best pansy growers in Germany and France, all large flowering and of finest colorings.

"I get many such expressions as 'Your Pansies were the finest I ever had,' and indeed if I could publish all the good words that come to me for this strain of lovely Pansies, it would need no other recommendation. Pkt., 125 seeds, 10c.; 2 pkts., 17c. Trade pkt., (1000 seeds), 40c.

## COLLECTION OF GIANT PANSIES

One-half packet each of my eleven Superb Giant Prize Pansies, described on pages 6 and 7 (not including Royal Challenge), 30c.

Ridgefield, Wash., April, 09. "I have used your seeds two years and find them good. The pansies were grand."---MRS. J. WELLS.



**Giant Red Pansy, or Madam Perret.** Grand flowers: standing well above the foliage, with large percentage of reds in all possible hues, pink, rose-colored and velvety brown and hortensia reds. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

**Giant Purple Pansy.** Lovely shades of deep purple violet, violet crimson and true royal purple. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

**Giant White.** Three sorts; pure white, white with deep violet blotches and white with lower petals marbled. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

**Giant Yellow Pansy.** Three handsome yellow Pansies, pure yellow, yellow with large black eye and Golden Queen, with a few dark pencillings at the center. Very showy. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

### EXHIBITION PANSIES

A specially prepared strain which every one should try, especially those who grow for show purposes. It contains the richest strains of **Mammoth Blotched**, the new **Orchid-flowered**, with rare shades of aurora, chamois, pink, lilac, terra cotta, etc., the popular **Masterpiece**, the giant ruffled varieties, and some of the newest named sorts such as **Mercury**, black purple self, **Victoria**, brilliant wine red, **Aureola**, a most unique sort, **Lorely**, dark red, **Siegfried**, wallflower colors with golden margin, and **Pretiosa**, carmin purple with white margin. Pkt., 125 seeds, 15c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  pkt., 65 seeds, 8c.



*Giant Masterpiece*

Bancroft, Neb., May, '09. "I have raised flowers for years but never had seed germinate so quickly before, and you sent more than others do for the price. Today I counted twenty Shasta Daisies up."—*Mrs. J. W. WALLACE.*

Winfield, Kan., Jan., '09. "I wish to compliment your pansies. On a bed of 100 plants there were as high as 1500 blossoms at one time. They bloomed from May until the last of November."—*Mrs. REBA SMITH.*



*Giant Vulcano Pansy*

### MAMMOTH BLOTCHED PANSIES

**Six New Giant Pansies.** I do not have space to exploit many novelties, but I do like to offer the latest creations when of real merit. Here is a chance for those who have not time, or space, or means to try all the new things to get the latest at moderate outlay. My Mammoth Blotched Pansies include **Giant Vulcano**, large, dark red, with 5 black blotches, (see cut); **Giant Psyche**, large, curled, 5-blotched, velvety violet on yellowish white ground; **Giant Bridesmaid**, rosy white with dark violet blotches, **Giant 5-Spotted White**, the most attractive of all white pansies; **Giant 5-Spotted Yellow**, golden yellow flowers, extra large and exceedingly beautiful; and a **Mammoth Blotched** mixed strain from a foremost German specialist. These six new sorts, mixed. Pkt. 100 seeds, 10c.; 2 pkts., 17c.



# BEST BEDDING PANSIES

## BLUE PANSY

Charming blue pansies, including **Emperor William**, deep ultra-marine blue, **Peasecock**, upper petals deep blue, the lower claret, edged with white; **Delicata** light porcelain blue with white center; and other beautiful varieties. Pkt., 125 seeds, 4c.

## BRONZE PANSY

Beautiful shades of bronze, some with a satiny finish, others curiously mottled. Mixed, Pkt., 125 seeds, 4c.

## KING OF BLACKS PANSY

A beautiful, rich coal black with a glossy, velvety finish; flowers large and of a good substance, coming true from seed. Pkt., 125 seeds, 4c.

## RAINBOW PANSY

This contains two choice strains, the **Rainbow**, a reddish steel blue, with white and pink edge and a golden pink face, and **Marmorata**, odd and striking marbled varieties. Pkt. 125 seeds, 4c.

## ROYAL PURPLE PANSY

A mixture of three strains: **Purple Mantle**, rich crimson violet; **Silver Seam**, purple with a white margin; and **Royal Purple**, with red and yellow edge and bronzy face. Pkt., 125 seeds, 4c.

## RUBRA PANSY

Red and fiery shades, including **Fire King**, brilliant red and yellow; **Meteor**, rich mahogany, margined with silver or gold; **Fire Dragon**, yellow, claret and maroon; **Victoria**, the nearest approach to a scarlet, and many other red shades. Pkt., 125 seeds 4c.

## SNOW QUEEN PANSY

A mixture of pure white, white with a dark center, and white with a violet eye, making a wonderfully pretty show when massed by themselves. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

## SWEET SCENTED, OR TUFTED PANSY

A new class, obtained by hybridizing the Pansy with the Violet, affording the sweet perfume of the latter and the large and many colored blooms of the former. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

## YELLOW PANSY

Beautiful shades of orange and golden yellow. Pkt., 125 seeds, 4c.

H. Loomislar, Mass., Apr., 09. "Have had seeds from you about 15 years. Have been delighted with them always. Last year I sprayed my Astors with Bordeaux mixture 3 or 4 times. Had magnificent flowers."—Mrs. A. H. Putnam.

## FINEST MIXED PANSIES

A splendid mixture, including all the pansies described on this page, together with numberless other shades and combinations, a rare mixture. Pkt., 125 seeds, 4c; 2 pkts., 7c; Trade pkt., (1000 seeds) 25c

## COLLECTION OF PANSIES

Half pkt. each of these ten choice pansies, 15c.

## PANSY, GOOD MIXED

Good seed, splendid colors, from my left-over Pansy seed. A large percentage will germinate. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3c.



Report from D. P. Austin, Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept., 00. Queen of Market Astors unusually fine; Blotched and Masterpiece Pansies very fine; Sweet Pans and Nasturtiums best I ever had.



# SWEET PEAS

## BEST FIFTY VARIETIES

Pkt., 50 seeds, 40.; oz., 100.: any 4 oz., 250.: 1 lb., 750.

### DARK BLUE AND PURPLE

Countess of Cadogan. Handsome porcelain blue.  
Duke of Westminster. Best clear purple.  
Lord Nelson. An improved Navy Blue.  
Mrs. Walter Wright. Purplish blue.  
Navy Blue. One of the best dark blues.  
Romolo Piazzani (new). Deep rosy mauve.  
Mixture of Dark Blue and Purple. Above mixed.

### DEEP PINK AND ROSE

Janet Scott. Bright pink, tinged with buff.  
John Ingman. Rosy carmine, wavy edges.  
Mrs. Dugdale. Crimson rose on primrose ground.  
Prince of Wales. Very handsome, bright rose.  
Royal Rose. Crimson pink; a splendid sort.  
Mixture of Deep Pink and Rose. Above mixed.

### LAVENDER AND LIGHT BLUE

Lady Grisel Hamilton. Handsome pale lavender.  
Maid of Honor. White ground, edged with blue.  
Mrs. Geo. Higginson. The only azure blue.  
New Countess (Burpee's). Favorite light lavender.  
Phenomenal. White with picotee edge of blue.  
Mixture of Lavender and Light Blue. Above mixed.

### LIGHT PINK

Countess of Spencer Hybrids. The new orchid-flowering Sweet Pea which is now universally placed as first on any list. The true type is a delicate pink, but it is quite apt to sport, and many beautiful varieties of the popular orchid type come from it, ranging from the most delicate to a deep rich pink.  
Countess of Lathom. The best salmon-buff, of hooded form.  
Dainty. Pure white, prettily bordered with a delicate pink edge.  
Katherine Tracy. An attractive soft pink, always a favorite.  
Lovely. A beautiful soft shell pink. Flowers often come double.  
Marchioness Cholmondeley. Soft shade of cream, overlaid with pink.  
Prima Donna. Lovely, light pink; a favorite in this class.  
Venus. Lovely salmon-buff, shaded rose; hooded form.  
Mixture of Light Pink. The above eight varieties mixed.

### PRIMROSE

Dora Breadmore (new). Buff and primrose; large size, hooded form.  
Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon. One of the largest and best primrose colors.  
Mrs. Collier (new). Rich, light primrose.  
Stella Morse. Buff, with a tint of pink. Very popular.  
Sybil Eckford (new). Light rosy apricot and lemon.  
Mixture of Primrose. The above five varieties mixed.



Mt. Air, Ia., Jan., 69. "The Sweet Peas I received from you were the finest in our neighborhood."—Miss KATHRYN MOSIER.

Countess Spencer Hybrids

### PINK AND WHITE

America. Deep pink or red and white striped.  
Apple Blossom. The best bi-color; rose and white.  
Blanche Ferry, Extra Early. Most popular pink and white.  
Mrs. Jos. Chamberlain. Light pink on white ground.  
Mixture of Pink and White. Above mixed.

### CLARET AND MAROON

Black Michael. Intensely dark maroon.  
Horace Wright. Dark violet maroon.  
Othello. Largest and best maroon.  
Mixture of Claret and Maroon. Above mixed.



**SWEET PEAS. 50 Variety List---Continued**

For Prices See Page 9.

**RED**

**King Edward VII.** Bright crimson-scarlet; does not burn.  
**Queen Alexandra.** Almost a true scarlet. Holds its color well.  
**Salopian (Sun-Proof).** Deep scarlet; one of the most popular reds.

**Scarlet Gem.** A dazzling scarlet.  
**Mixture of Red.** The above four varieties mixed.

**SALMON-PINK**

**Aurora.** Flaked orange salmon.  
**Bolton's Pink (New).** Soft salmon orange.  
**Evelyn Byatt (New).** Rich deep sunset.  
**Henry Eckford.** A beautiful orange yellow.  
**Lady Mary Currie.** Orange pink, heavily veined.  
**Miss Willmott.** Very large, deep orange pink.  
**Mixture of Salmon Pink.** The above six varieties mixed.

**WHITE**

**Dorothy Eckford.** The grandest pure white yet produced.  
**Emily Henderson.** A standard white variety; a great bloomer.

**Shasta (New).** Flowers very large, three and four on a stem.  
**White Wonder.** Sometimes has six to eight blossoms on a stem.

**Mixture of White.** These four varieties mixed.

**MY FIFTY NAMED VARIETIES MIXED**

This is my choicest mixture of Sweet Peas and cannot be surpassed in richness of variety or color, or size and substance of bloom. I make it myself and include in it only the fifty varieties described on pages 9 and 10—a list of proved novelties and standard varieties, the very best in cultivation today. From several years' experience and from innumerable complimentary expressions from my customers, I know that the variety and proportion of colors are highly satisfactory, and I offer this in full confidence that it cannot be excelled by any other sweet pea mixture on the market. Pkt., 90 seeds, 4c.; oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c.; 1 lb., 75c.

**GIANT CALIFORNIA SWEET PEAS**

A very choice mixture of only large-flowering types, containing a large proportion of light colors with just enough dark for a contrast. It is the result of hybridizing by a Sweet Pea expert and contains many of the trial-ground novelties. Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 3c.; oz., 8c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 35c.; 1 lb., 65c.

**SWEET PEAS, Good Mixed**

This seed is what I have left over from my choice named varieties. Every one knows that Sweet Pea seed retains its vitality for several years, so this is practically as good as fresh seed. Having quite a surplus I offer this splendid mixture at the low price of 5 cents an ounce. Oz., 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 16c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 25c.; 1 lb., 40c.



Janet Scott

**BUSH SWEET PEAS**

These grow in bush form, 16 to 18 inches high, and when grown in a hedge need no support. They flower profusely, making a row of almost solid bloom. Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 4c.; oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30c.

**DOUBLE SWEET PEAS**

Not a double flower in the true sense. Instead of one standard they have two or three, giving a ruffled and fluted effect very showy and beautiful. From 25 to 50 per cent. only come double. Mixed. Pkt., 4c.; oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c.

**EARLIEST OF ALL SWEET PEAS**

**Selected, Extra Early.** Like the popular pink and white Blanche Ferry, but two weeks earlier than the Extra Early strain and from 4 to 5 weeks earlier than any other sorts. Seed has been carefully selected from only the earliest blooming stock, and is especially recommended for commercial purposes. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.; 1 oz., 15c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 50c.

**SPECIAL SWEET PEA OFFERS****FROM MY FIFTY VARIETY LIST**

Any three packets, 10c.; any ten packets, 30c.; any four ounces, 25c.

One-half packet each of my 50 varieties, fifty half-packets, 50c.



# New Giant Orchid Sweet Peas

## AND OTHER IMPORTANT NOVELTIES.

Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.; any three pkts., 12c. The separate varieties are not offered except in packets.

**New Giant-flowered, mixed.** A mixture of all the sixteen new sorts mentioned in this list (including also True Countess of Spencer)—a splendid lot of novelties. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c.

- Blackbird.** The darkest Sweet Pea in existence, almost black.  
**Brilliant Blue.** Very large, richly hooded, of the richest dark navy blue.  
**E. J. Castle.** Rich carmine rose, with salmon shading of the wavy Unwin type.  
**Florists' Lavender.** Pronounced the best light lavender.  
**Frank Dolby.** One of the handsomest lavenders, with bold wavy standards and wings beautifully fluted.  
**Gladys Unwin.** Lovely light pink, with crinkled and wavy standard.  
**Helen Pierce.** Bright blue, marbled on white ground.  
**Mrs. A. J. Watkins.** Blush rose with crinkled edges.  
**Mrs. Collier.** Light primrose, large flowers, beautifully hooded.  
**Mrs. Josephine Barnard.** Pure rose, crinkled and waved.  
**Nora Unwin.** One of the best whites, much fluted.  
**Phyllis Unwin.** Light magenta rose and carmine, large size, open wavy form.  
**Queen of Spain.** Soft buff pink, with curled standard.  
**Sunproof Alexander.** Bright scarlet red; does not sun-seald.  
**White Gladys.** White, very large open form with wavy edges.  
**Zoe.** A mid-blue, or deep lavender.

## NEW SPENCER MIXTURE

### FIFTEEN GRAND NEW SPENCERS FOR THE PRICE OF ONE

My offerings of the novelties in mixtures has proven very popular, making it possible, for a small outlay, to try many new sorts. This contains the following new varieties, some offered for the first time this year, all true Spencer types, with the characteristic large, graceful, wavy petals.  
**Apple Blossom Spencer,** pink and white;  
**Blanche Ferry Spencer,** never before offered;  
**Dainty Spencer,** soft rose pink;  
**Florence Morse Spencer,** light pink, edged darker;  
**Geo. Herbert,** bright rose carmine;  
**Helen Lewis,** crimson orange;  
**King Edward Spencer,** scarlet (this sold last year at a cent and a half for one seed);  
**Menie Christie,** ruby-rose;  
**Paradise,** an improved Countess of Spencer;  
**Primrose Spencer,** lovely cream color;  
**Princess Alice Spencer,** rosy mauve;  
**Princess Katherine Spencer,** a black-seeded white Spencer;  
**Princess Victoria Spencer,** white, bluish and pink-edged;  
**White Spencer,** pure white. These fifteen grand new Spencers mixed. Pkt., 30 seeds, 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 30c.



**BLANCHE FERRY SPENCER**

Notwithstanding the many grand new Sweet Peas, the old-fashioned Blanche Ferry (pink and white) remains the most popular, and florists sell more as a cut flower than any other sort. Lovers of this variety will welcome this new Spencer type. The colors are the same, but the blossom is much larger and on longer and stronger stems, and has the beautiful wavy appearance common to the Spencers. Pkt., 15 seeds, 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 50c.

## TRUE COUNTESS OF SPENCER

The most beautiful pink Sweet Pea in existence. Beautiful clear pink, a little deeper at the edges, with crumpled, wavy margins of very graceful effect. Both standards and wings are very large, and the stems are long, bearing 3 and 4 blossoms. In size, form and coloring this is truly exquisite and all that is to be desired in a Sweet Pea. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 12c.; oz., 20c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 50c.

The Sweet Pea of the Future, according to both European and American experts, is the Spencer type, with its beautiful wavy and crinkled edges.



## HALF-PACKET COLLECTIONS A NEW DEPARTURE

For the convenience of those who like to grow separate varieties instead of mixtures, note my Half-Packet Collection offers as follows:

Aster, page 5; Sixteen varieties, half-packets, 40c.  
Aster, Peony-flowered, page 4; Six sorts, half-packets, 15c.  
Balsam, page 15; Eight varieties, half-packets, 15c.  
Carnation, page 18; Five varieties, half-packets, 20c.  
Everlastings, page 26; Seven varieties, half-packets, 12c.  
Larkspur, page 33; Eight varieties, half-packets, 15c.  
Mourning Bride, page 34; Six varieties, half-packets, 15c.  
Nasturtium, page 35; Sixteen varieties, half-packets, 30c.  
Pansy, Giant, page 6; Eleven varieties, half-packets, 30c.  
Pansy, Bedding, page 8; Ten varieties, half-packets, 15c.  
Phlox, Grandiflora, page 38; Eight varieties, half-packets, 20c.  
Pink, page 39; Nine varieties, half-packets, 20c.  
Poppy, page 40; Nine varieties, half-packets, 15c.  
Salpiglossis, page 42; Six varieties, half-packets, 15c.  
Snapdragon, page 44; Ten varieties, half-packets, 15c.  
Sweet Peas, page 10; Fifty varieties, half-packets, 50c.  
Zinnia, page 46; Eight varieties, half-packets, 20c.  
Zinnia, Curled and Crested, page 46; Eight sorts, half-packets, 20c.  
The entire eighteen collections for \$2.82.



## SULPHO-TOBACCO SOAP

Sulpho-Tobacco Soap Kills Bugs and Insects,  
In the Garden. Kills all bugs that injure plants.  
In the Orchard, destroys insects injurious to trees.  
In the Household, exterminates moths, cockroaches,  
bed-bugs, etc.

In the Stable, relieves from tormenting flies.  
In the Kennel, keeps dogs free from vermin.  
In the Sheepfold, makes an unequalled sheep-dip.  
In the Poultry Yard, prevents all lice.

Is endorsed by the United States Department of  
Agriculture and is highly recommended by Florists.  
Produces Luxuriant Roses. Widely known for  
years for preventing rose lice and mildew on roses.

Helps to Grow healthy plants and beautiful flowers,  
and is non-injurious to the tenderest growth.

Absolutely safe and convenient to handle.

### THE COST IS TRIFLING

13c.—3-oz. cake; makes 1½ gallons prepared solution;  
mailed post-paid.

28c.—8-oz. cake; makes 4 gallons prepared solution;  
mailed post-paid.

**SPECIAL NOTICE.** With every order for Sulpho-Tobacco Soap we mail a booklet, "The Window Garden," by Eben E. Rexford, free, giving valuable information on flowers and plants in the house and garden; also helpful hints about insects which infest plant life, and how to exterminate them.

## EVERLASTING SWEET PEA

Everlasting Sweet Pea, Pink Beauty. The Pink Beauty is a lovely new variety said to bloom the first year from seed. The trusses and individual flowers are larger than in the older varieties while the color is a much richer, more intense shade of pink. Hardy perennial. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

Everlasting Sweet Peas, Mixed. White and rose shades. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.; ¼ oz., 10c.

## DWARF CUPID SWEET PEAS

While the cupids do not in any sense take the place of the old standbys, they make a fine edging plant and in some parts of the country have proved very popular. Mixed, in all the Sweet Pea colors. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.; oz., 15c.

**Special Directions for growing Sweet Peas given in my "Culture of Flowers," free with every order of 25 cents or more.**





## ALPHABETICAL LIST of FLOWER SEEDS

### ABRONIA UMBELLATA

The Sand Verbena, a beautiful trailing plant, with clusters of sweet-scented, rosy-lilac flowers, somewhat like the Verbena; especially fragrant towards evening. Pretty for beds, rockwork or hanging baskets. Pkt., 60 seeds, 4c.

### AMARANTHUS, Mixed

A mixture of the best varieties of these pretty decorative plants, including Brilliant, Joseph's Coat, Prince's Feather, Fountain Plant and others. Splendid where tall effects are desired. 3 to 4 feet. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.

### ANCHUSA CAPENSIS

The Cape Forget-me-not. A hardy biennial, blooming the first year, which bears large clusters of pretty, deep blue forget-me-not-like flowers. It thrives in shady, out-of-the-way places where nothing else will grow. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.

### ANEMONE CORONARIA

Or St. Brigid's Poppy. A hardy perennial producing large brilliant flowers, single, semi-double and double, in great diversity of colors, maroon, scarlet, pink, lilac and purple. They make a wonderful display in the garden in the late summer and fall. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

### ACHILLEA, "The Pearl"

One of the most popular perennials, bearing in good profusion large clusters of pure white double flowers. It blossoms all summer and is invaluable for floral pieces or bouquets, and is grand for cemetery planting, as it is perfectly hardy and readily takes care of itself. 1½ feet. Pkt., 100 seeds, 6c.



### AGERATUM

"Imperial Dwarf Blue." A popular edging plant. It grows readily and quickly from seed, and is covered by a mass of blue, brushlike blooms from early summer till frost. This is the deepest blue in color, and makes nice compact plants. Tender perennial. 9 inches. Pkt., 400 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.; ½ oz., 10c.

Princess Victoria Louise. The prettiest dwarf variety. It grows in dense bushes about 6 inches high, bearing lovely sky-blue flowers, with white centers. Splendid for ribbon bedding and edgings. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.; ½ oz., 15c.

GREAT PREMIUMS ON BULB ORDERS

See pages 48 to 50



### NEW HYBRID ABUTILON

Or Flowering Maple. Abutilons from seed often give new and charming kinds. I offer a choice selection from the newest hybrid varieties, giving a wide range of colors from pure white, straw and yellow, to rose, crimson and scarlet, with beautiful veins and markings. They bloom soon from seeds. 3 feet. Mixed. Pkt., 35 seeds, 6c.



Achillea, "The Pearl"



**ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS**

The Asparagus Fern, with foliage more graceful and lace-like than the most delicate fern. Nothing is finer for cutting and the sprays will last for weeks. One of the best of house plants, succeeding almost anywhere. Pkt., 8 seeds, 10c.; 2 pkts., 16c.

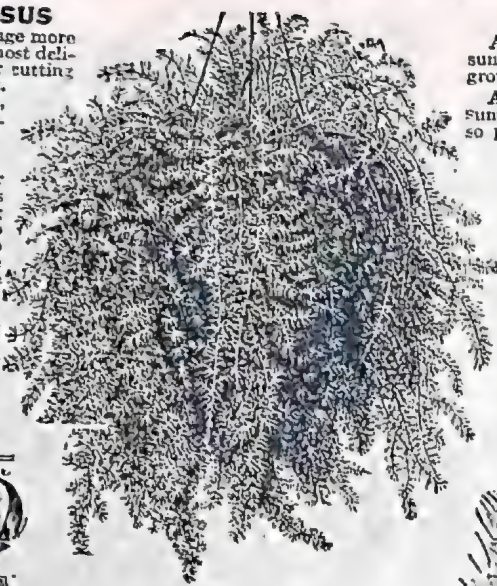
**ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI**

There is nothing handsomer for hanging baskets, bouquets, wreaths or other decorating. Its drooping feathery sprays grow from two to eight feet long, and multiply so rapidly as to give an abundance of green for cutting. Greenhouse perennial. Pkt., 10 seeds, 7 cts.; 2 pkts., 12 cts.

**Asparagus, Mixed.** 5 seeds of each, 10c.

**CULTURE OF FLOWERS**

A Booklet of Valuable Instruction free with an Order of 25c or over.

*Antigonon Leptopus**Asparagus Sprenger***ANTIGONON LEPTOPUS**

"Mountain Rose." An elegant house or greenhouse climber. It bears in great profusion long clusters of gorgeous carmine flowers. Its discoverer says of it: "I am well acquainted with the contents of our gardens and the vegetation of most parts of the world, but in my opinion there is no more graceful or beautiful climber than *Antigonon Leptopus*." In the South it is hardy out of doors. Pkt., 12 seeds, 6c.

**ARABIS ALPINA**

A hardy perennial covered with a sheet of pretty white flowers as soon as the snow is gone. 6 inches. Pkt., 400 seeds, 3c.

**SWEET ALYSSUM**

**Alyssum Benthani.** The common Sweet Alyssum. If desired for cutting, this is the best kind to grow. Pkt., 400 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 10c.

**Alyssum, "Carpet of Snow."** A new dwarf Alyssum, growing only 2 or 3 inches high, and flowering so profusely as to make a perfect carpet of white throughout the season. Best for pots and edgings. Pkt., 400 seeds, 5c.

**Alyssum, Little Gem.** Also a dwarf variety, splendid for cemetery planting or for edgings. The plants are more compact and the single florets larger and more closely crowded than in the common Alyssum, converting the plant into a mass of white. Pkt., 400 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 15c.

*Sweet Alyssum*



## BALSAMS

Are you not going to try my beautiful Balsams? You will find them of the largest size, extremely double and in greatest variety of colors. If given sunlight and plenty of room their branches will be crowded, with immense double flowers, as handsome as roses. If they branch freely prune them out. The fewer the branches the larger the flowers.

### BALSAMS, Prize Mixed

This is my special mixture, which I make myself from choice named varieties, including also prize strains of various growers, and you will find it unchallenged for beauty and variety of colors. It includes lovely shades of solid colors and the beautiful spotted, or camellia-flowered Balsams. Mixed. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

### BALSAMS, Good Mixed

A choice mixture of double Balsams in many beautiful shades. Pkt., 50 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.

## COLLECTION OF BALSAMS

A select assortment of eight varieties, put up in separate packets of about 15 seeds, each as follows: Apricot Yellow, Lilac, Peach Blossom, Salmon Pink, Rose, Scarlet, Spotted, and White. Price, 15c.

### BACHELOR'S BUTTON (Centaurea Cyanus)

The national flower of Germany, where they call it the "Corn Flower," or Kaiser Blumen," also known as "Blue Bottle," and "Ragged Sailor." Artists paint it, ladies use it for the corsage, and it is much prized for cutting. 2 feet.

**Bachelor's Button, Double Mixed.** A mixture of dark purple, deep blue, white, rose and many other beautiful colors. Pkt., 50 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.

**Bachelor's Button, Double Blue.** A deep rich blue. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**Bachelor's Button, Double White.** Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

### ARCTOTIS GRANDIS

The African Lilac Daisy. A handsome annual, with soft whitish leaves, and myriads of showy daisy-like flowers, white or lilac, of easy culture, blooming thruout the whole season. 2½ feet. Pkt., 65 seeds, 5c.

### ARISTOLOCHIA SIPHO

Or Dutchman's Pipe. A rapid growing, hardy perennial climber, with large leaves which retain their intense green color from early spring to late fall. The peculiar, pipe-shaped flowers, which have given its common name, add to its interest. Pkt., 10 seeds, 6c.



Rose-Flowered Balsam

### ACACIA

Beautiful half hardy shrubs having finely lacinated foliage, and long racemes of small yellow flowers. Used as a conservatory plant in the North. 6 to 10 feet. Mixed. Pkt., 5c.

### ASCLEPIAS TUBEROSA

One of the finest native perennials, bearing showy clusters of orange-red flowers. It is in bloom from June to September and is splendid for the border. Hardy anywhere. 2 feet. Pkt., 5c.

### ASPERULA, "VANITY"

A lovely perennial, similar to Gypsophila paniculata, bearing immense panicles of misty, white spray. Coming later it prolongs the season for these invaluable decorative flowers. 1 to 2 feet. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3c.



Bachelor's Button





### BIRD OF PARADISE (*Polnclana Gillesi*)

An attractive plant, producing yellowish flowers in large compact trusses; the foliage also is very beautiful and highly decorative, similar to the Acacia. A lady from the south says: "Mine grew 12 feet high, branching 2 feet from the ground, forming a well-rounded tree. Every branch was covered with orange-red flowers, with long red stamens, the whole having a marked effect and attracting great attention. It grows like Jack's bean stalk, blooms early and continues until frost." Greenhouse perennial except in the south, where it is hardy. Pkt., 8 seeds, 5c.

### (CASTOR BEAN *Ricinus*)

Gorgeous tropical plants of stately growth and ornamental foliage with brilliant colored fruit, used for massing on lawns, or as center plants for beds. It is said that the Castor Bean will drive away moles, as they do not like the scent of this plant.

**Cambodgensis.** The stem and leaf stalks are shining ebony, leaves large and richly colored, assuming different shades as the plant increases in size. 6 feet. Pkt., 15 seeds, 5c.; oz., 15c.

**Giant Zanzibar.** Surpasses all other varieties in size and beauty of foliage; the gigantic leaves vary from light to dark green and coppery bronze, with reddish ribs. 10 ft. Pkt., 15 seeds, 5c.; oz., 15c.

### BRACHYCOME Or Swan River Daisy

A charming little plant with feathery foliage and clematis-like flowers in blue, white or rose. The delicacy of the foliage and the flowers particularly adapts it for use with coarser flowers in a bouquet, adding a beautiful decoration. 10 inches. Pkt., 400 seeds, 3c.

### BOCCONIA JAPONICA, OR PLUME POPPY

A hardy perennial for the border or the center of a decorative bed. The leaves are broad, deeply cut and scalloped, and it sends out tall spikes, 3 to 5 feet high, crowded with delicate cream-colored flowers. Pkt., 400 seeds, 5c.



### BEGONIA TUBEROUS- ROOTED

This charming class produces really phenomenal flowers, frequently from 4 to 6 inches across, with colors ranging from pure white and delicate tints of pink, yellow and orange to gorgeous scarlet and crimson shades. They bloom only in summer, and are fine for bedding, or for the window when most house plants are resting. Mixed double and single, Pkt., 300 seeds, 10c.

**Prize Begonia.** Saved from 100 of the newest and best varieties. The foliage is almost as beautiful as the flowers, in most being shaded bright red. They grow easily from seed, bloom early and continuously, and are the most brilliant plants for potting and bedding. Pkt., 300 seeds, 6c.

**Begonia Vernon.** Rich red flowers and bronzy red foliage. A splendid bedding sort. Used with Little Gem Alyssum for a border the effect is fine. Pkt., 300 seeds, 6c.

### BEGONIA SPECIAL MIXED

The above three and other choice sorts mixed. Pkt., 300 seeds, 7c.





**BUTTERFLY  
FLOWER  
(SCHIZANTHUS)**

I offer this year the new dwarf, large-flowering hybrid varieties of this charming flower. They form compact plants, literally covered with beautiful, orchid-like flowers, all delicately fringed and curiously marked with crimson, lilac, purple and yellow blotches. Pretty for decorating bouquets or massed in a bed. Sow some of the seed in August or September and bring the plants into the house. They will bloom all winter. 1 foot. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**COLUMBINE (Aquilegia)**

No perennial bed is complete without the Columbine. I offer a very choice mixture, including the Chrysantha, a long-spurred yellow variety, Coerulea, the Colorado state flower, and many beautiful new hybrids from Burbank's and from Skinner's collections. Some are very double, and others will have extra large flowers with extremely long spurs. Double and single mixed. 1½ to 3 ft. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**A VALUABLE REPORT**

Lockport, Man., March, 1909, Department of Public Works. "Throughout the different varieties from you, I never before succeeded in starting so large a percentage of plants from seed. The Sweet Peas were very fine and others that did especially well were Nasturtiums, Poppies, Petunias, Verbenas, Salpiglossis, Balsams (especially fine) and Mignonette. Royal Challenge Pansies were beautiful. We have so much wind that plants have to be so arranged that the hardy ones will protect those more delicate. I planted Ours for a background on the west side of the garden, then a close hedge of large-leaved Sunflowers, then Sweet Peas, then a row of Dahlias. Scabiosa, Salpiglossis and other tall plants looked well against the dark foliage of the dahlias. In the shelter thus afforded the smaller and more delicate plants did fairly well."

—A. A. FORTNA



**CANARY BIRD FLOWER**

A splendid climber for the porch or trellis. It grows rapidly, has very pretty foliage, and curiously shaped, canary-yellow flowers, with fancied likeness to a bird with outstretched wings. I recommend it as one of the most desirable vines to be obtained from seed. Annual. Pkt., 25 seeds, 4c.



**CANTERBURY BELLS**

Much attention is now paid to this stately, old-fashioned flower, and it is found as a prominent feature in all the early flower shows. Very easily grown from seed, blossoming the second season. Hardy biennial. 2½ ft.

"Cup and Saucer" Canterbury Bell. A curious and showy variety, resembling a cup and saucer, as shown in the cut. A single plant bears from 100 to 200 blossoms. White, blue and rose shades mixed. Pkt., 500 seeds, 4c.

Canterbury Bell, double mixed. Pkt., 500 seeds, 4c.

Canterbury Bell, Pink Shades. A splendid mixture of pink shades of the Cup and Saucer, single and double sorts. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

Canterbury Bell, Pyramidalis, or Chimney Bell flower. The blossoms are blue or white and are crowded on the long blooming spikes, making a beautiful, stately plant. Pkt., 500 seeds, 5c.

Canterbury Bell, single mixed, extra choice prize strain. Pkt., 500 seeds, 3c.

Canterbury Bell, Special Mixed. My five varieties mixed. Pkt., 500 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.





### CALENDULA OR POT MARIGOLD

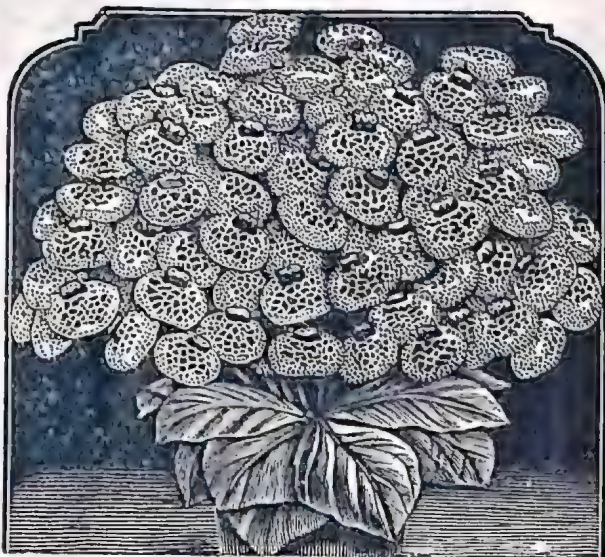
The Calendula is one of the finest annuals for cutting. They bloom early and long, and are especially fine in the cool fall days after most annuals have gone to seed. The place of short-lived plants may be filled by scattering seeds of Calendulas in May or June. They come in every shade of yellow or deep golden, with light centers and with dark, double and semi-double, and it is hard to tell which is prettier. Mixed. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.

### CACTUS

Many like to experiment with Cacti, and raising seedlings, says Bailey's Enc. of Horticulture, "is better than importing plants from their native habitat if one desires to get a fine collection." All Cacti are easy to grow, enduring the heat and dryness of the living-room better than most other plants. Seed saved from a splendid collection. Mixed. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5 cts.

### WILD CUCUMBER

Though common, this well-known climber has so many favorable qualities—easy of cultivation, rapid growing, dense foliage, graceful blossoms, self-sowing—that we cannot do without it. Pkt., 20 seeds, 4c.; oz., 25c.



### CALCEOLARIA GRANDIFLORA

These are gorgeous plants for the greenhouse or window, remarkable for their orchid-like blossoms. They come into flower eight months after sowing, bearing hundreds of curious pocket-like flowers, spotted and blotched and margined in a most unique fashion, in such shades as yellow, maroon, crimson, white, etc. Greenhouse biennials. Pkt., 150 seeds, 7c.; 2 pkts., 12c.

### CLEMATIS

Clematis may be raised from seed, but it does not come up until it has lain in the ground over winter, hence it is more satisfactory to buy the plants. (See plant list, p. 54). I offer seed, however, of two popular varieties.

**Clematis, Jackman's Hybrids.** Immense blossoms, in shades of blue, white, purple, etc. Mixed pkt., 25 seeds, 8c.

**Clematis, Paniculata.** Beautiful dark green foliage, covered with a mass of feathery white flowers. Pkt., 25 seeds, 5c.



B. Chesterville, Mo., Apr. 09. "I have some of your *Marguerite Carnations* — 10 — blooming in the house and they are lovely. Sweet Peas and *Nasturtiums* were very nice."—Edna C. Yrre

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

## BEAUTIFUL NEW CANNAS

**Bronze-Leaved Canna.** A mixture of dark or red-leaved varieties, splendid where foliage effect is desired. Pkt., 15 seeds, 5c.

**Novelty Cannas.** A mixture of the striped, spotted or variegated red and yellow sorts, made up of such choice varieties as *Queen Charlotte*, *Florence Vaughan*, *Gloriosa*, *Nagara*, etc. Pkt., 15 seeds, 5c.

**Red Cannas.** A specially selected strain of the most desirable dwarf Crozy red sorts, bearing extra large flowers, rivaling the *Gladiolus* in size and brilliance. Pkt., 15 seeds, 5c.

**Canna, Prize Mixed.** This is a splendid strain of the new dwarf Crozy type, saved from a grand collection of the newest and best named varieties, and can be especially recommended for its large, gladiolus-like blooms and beautiful colors. Cannas are easily raised from seed and bloom the first season. Pkt., 15 seeds, 5c.; 1 oz., 25c.

**Giant Canna Mixed.** A mixture of the tall flowering sorts, including both bronze and green-leaved sorts. Pkt., 15 seeds, 5c.

**Canna Collection.** One packet each of the above five sorts, 20c.



*Novelty Canna*



For Bargains in  
**CANNA BULBS**  
and Great Premium  
Bulb Offer  
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## GIANT MARGUERITE CARNATION

Beautiful varieties of Carnation may be raised from seed, equaling the green-house-grown blossoms in fullness and fragrance. They bloom in from three to four months from seed sown in the open ground, and if taken up in the fall, the plants will yield during the winter, an abundance of beautiful fragrant flowers. Fully 80 per cent come double. Hardy in all sections but the extreme north.

**Giant Marguerite Carnation.** A new large-flowering, wonderfully improved strain. The blossoms are very double, with petals beautifully fringed. My giant mixture contains new and unexcelled strains from American French and Italian growers, including also many named varieties, and will give the largest possible number of variations. Pkt., 100 seeds, 10c.; half pkt., 5c.

**Collector of Giant Marguerite Carnations.** Five varieties, namely, Pink, Red, Striped, White, Yellow. Five pkts., 25 seeds each, 20c.

**Chabaud's Everblooming Carnations.** A new strain of Hardy Carnations, developed by a French specialist, blooming almost as soon as the *Marguerite* and flowering indefinitely. Mixed, in choicest colors. Pkt., 40 seeds, 8c.



**(CANDYTUFT Iberis)**

**Candytuft, Giant Hyacinth-Flowered.** Listed also as Rocket and Empress. Each plant has from four to nine branches, crowned with a bunch of magnificent white flower spikes, sometimes six inches long. Seed saved from a greatly improved strain. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 10c.

**Candytuft, Rose Cardinal,** and other beautiful crimson shades. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

**Candytuft, Mixed.** A mixture of giant white and colored varieties. Pkt., 150 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 7c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 15c.

**Perennial Candytuft, Iberis G. raltica.** A pretty hardy perennial, with whitish lilac flowers, blooming early and profusely. Pkt., 90 seeds, 5c.

Ceresco, N.Y., Apr., '09. "Your seeds last year gave me satisfaction, especially the Cineraria and Cyclamen."—Mrs. M. CURTIS-PRATT.



Hyacinth  
flowered Candytuft.

**CHRYSANTHEMUM**

**Bridal Robe.** This is a hardy biennial, but it blooms the first summer if started early in the house. The foliage is lacy and fern-like, and in the blooming season the plant is covered for a long period with hundreds of double and semi-double graceful white flowers with fringed petals. If once tried it will always find a place in your garden, being splendid for home or church decoration. 1 ft. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.

**Double, Annual, Mixed.** Pure white golden yellow or cream white in color; some are densely double, others have small fringe-like petals. Very hardy, blooming until latest frost. 2 ft. Mixed. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3c.

**Single Annual, Mixed.** Also called "Painted Ladies," or "French Marguerites." Beautiful daisy-like flowers in white, yellow or crimson, some being zoned in different shades of bronzy reds. This mixture includes a number of named varieties, such as **Morning Star** and **Evening Star**, two new yellow Marguerites, **The Sultan**, crimson maroon, **Northern Star**, a beautiful white with yellow center, and other choice sorts. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**Japanese.** Saved from an extra choice collection of the house Chrysanthemums. Beautiful new and often valuable varieties are obtained from seed. Pkt., 100 seeds, 8c.

**GRANDIFLORA CINERARIA**

A beautiful greenhouse plant, very easily raised from seed, affording a mass of gorgeous blooms in the late winter and spring. My mixture is grown from two extra choice prize exhibition strains and from new varieties of the large-flowering dwarf and grandiflora sorts, whose large blossoms cover the plants with most brilliant hues in crimson, magenta, violet, purple or variegated shades. Mixed. Pkt., 100 seeds, 10c. Half packet, **Cineraria Grandiflora.** 50 seeds, 5c.

**BURBANK'S FAMOUS WONDERBERRY**  
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**COBEA SCANDENS**

A beautiful climber for outside planting or the conservatory window. Nothing is better in our northern regions, as it is a rapid climber. It grows 20 to 30 feet high, and branches freely, covering a large surface. The foliage is highly ornamental. The bell-shaped flowers open a clear green but turn afterwards to a lovely lilac blue. Pkt., 15 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c.

**Cobea Mixed.** Blue and white mixed. Pkt., 15 seeds, 5c.

## COLEUS

**Mammoth Rainbow.** No handsomer foliage plant can be obtained from seed. The leaves are very large, heart-shaped and handsomely crinkled and include the many combinations of the most highly colored Coleus. Pkt., 150 seeds, 8c.

**New French Coleus.** A fine mixture of French hybrids, sure to give only choice varieties. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

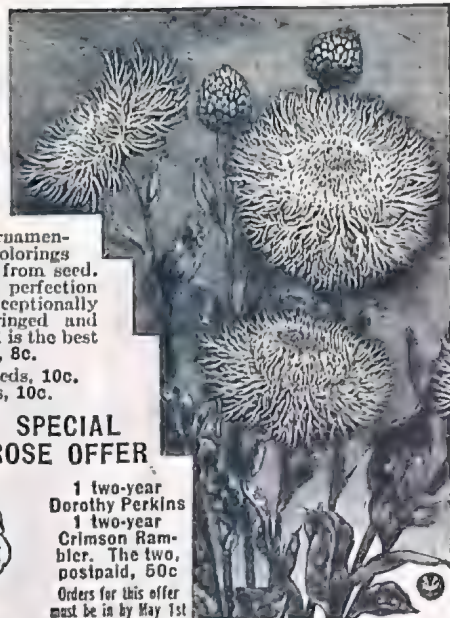
**Ruffled Giant Coleus.** These ornamental foliage plants with their rich colorings may be easily and cheaply obtained from seed. The plants grow rapidly and attain perfection the first summer. This strain has exceptionally large leaves, curiously curled and fringed and of richest and most diverse colors, and is the best obtainable. Mixed. Pkt., 150 seeds, 8c.

**Red-leaved Coleus.** Pkt., 100 seeds, 10c.

**Yellow-leaved Coleus.** 100 seeds, 10c.



*Coleus*



## SPECIAL ROSE OFFER

1 two-year  
Dorothy Perkins  
1 two-year  
Crimson Rambler.  
The two,  
postpaid, 50c  
Orders for this offer  
must be in by May 1st

## GIANT CENTAUREA OR SWEET SULTAN

This is the Centaurea Imperialis, or Giant Sweet Sultan, a new strain of the beautiful Centaureas which you should not fail to try. They are of easy cultivation, and are equally beautiful for the garden or cut-flower use, and are really one of the most valuable additions to floriculture in recent years. The flowers are very sweet and have long, strong stems, which, with long keeping qualities, make them most invaluable for vase decoration. White, lilac, yellow and rose shades.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet. Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.



**COCKSCOMB**

**Ostrich Feather, or Thompsoni Magnifica.** A new and superb strain of feathered Cockscomb. With its graceful feathery plumes of brilliant crimson and other magnificent shades of red and gold it makes a great show for the garden, lasting until late fall, after most flowers are gone. Mixed. 2 to 3 feet. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**Cockscomb, Celosia Spicata.** Fine for the border. The plants stand slender and straight, like a sentinel, and the branches are tipped with bright rose-colored flowers, merging into a silvery white. 2½ to 3 feet. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.

**Dwarf Hybrid Cockscomb, Mixed.** With their immense combs, these are very showy for massing in a bed. This mixture contains the choicest named sorts, including *Empress*, *Glasgow Prize*, *Queen of Dwarfs* and other new hybrid varieties, with crimson pink and striped combs. Pkt., 200 seeds, 6c.; 2 pkts., 10c.

**Cockscomb, Special Mixed.** The above three and other choice sorts mixed. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

**COREOPSIS**

**Coreopsis Lanceolata.** A hardy perennial variety, with blossoms like great golden buttercups. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.

**Coreopsis, New Dwarf Hybrids.** As pretty for an edging as anything I grow. It makes a dense

mass of fine green foliage. 8 in. Pkt.,

300  
seeds,  
5c.; 2  
pkts.,  
8c.

**CYCLAMEN GIGANTEUM**

Charming window plants, with ornamental foliage and richly-colored orchid-like flowers in pink, white and crimson shades. They are easy to raise from seed, scarcely a seed failing to germinate, and their culture is interesting and much more economical than from bulbs. The Giant variety produces lovely large flowers standing well above the foliage. I have taken pains to procure seed from several expert growers to make sure of offering a splendid strain, with a large number of varieties. Pkt., 20 seeds, 12c.; ½ pkt., 10 seeds, 6c.

**COREOPSIS, HYBRIDA SUPERBA**

A new selection of the tall Coreopsis, forming dense bushes, which, if not allowed to seed, will be covered all summer to late fall with beautiful flowers in yellow, orange or deep bronzy reds. Splendid for cutting, either for house or for church decoration. 1½ feet. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

**Coreopsis, Special Mixed.** All sorts mixed. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3c., 2 pkts., 5c.





### LADY LENOX

#### THE NEW GIGANTIC COSMOS

This new Cosmos is of gigantic size and beauty, and has won universal praise and awards at the leading flower shows of the country. The flower is 5 to 6 inches in diameter, in color a delightful shell-pink, lighting up beautifully at night, and it lasts an unusually long time when cut. Without doubt the finest of the late flowering class. 6 to 7 feet. Pkt., 25 seeds, 5c.

### KLONDYKE COSMOS

A gorgeous orange-yellow variety. The plants are bushy and symmetrical, with leaves more coarsely laciniated than in the other sorts. It is fine for pot plants, blooming in pots when 6 or 8 inches high. 3 1/2 feet. Pkt., 25 seeds, 5c.

## COSMOS

### CALIFORNIA GIANT COSMOS

For fall blooming Cosmos has no superior. The large, bushy plants, 3 to 6 feet high, are completely covered in the late fall with hundreds of beautiful ray flowers, pink, white or red. Both flowers and foliage are unsurpassed for decoration. This is an improved strain grown for me by a California specialist, and will produce largest flowers and choicest colors. 5 feet.

**Giant Crimson Cosmos.** Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**Giant Pink Cosmos.** Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**Giant White Cosmos.** Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**California Giant Cosmos, Mixed.** Pkt., 75 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

### EARLY FLOWERING COSMOS

There is nothing handsomer than the Cosmos, but its late flowering has prevented its universal cultivation. Growers have been experimenting, however, and now the offerings of early flowering varieties fairly rival their fall sisters. I call especial attention to my new strain of Minnesota grown seed, which all flower lovers will especially welcome.

**Early Minnesota Cosmos.** A valuable new strain of Minnesota-grown seed. The plants grow 3 to 4 feet high and come into flower from two weeks to a month earlier than any other sort. The flowers, which come in pink or white, are large and beautifully formed, and are borne in greatest profusion from early July until killed by frosts. Constant cutting makes no difference in the decorative effect of the row. Pkt., 50 seeds, 10c.

**Early Dawn Cosmos.** Flowers pure white, with a tinge of rose at the center. Plants begin to bloom about August 1. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

**Early Flowering Cosmos.** Good Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 4c.

### COSMOS SPECIAL MIXED

This mixture includes all the kinds described on this page, and other fancy varieties, with only a small proportion of the two new sorts, Lady Lenox and Klondyke. Pkt., 60 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

### CYPRESS VINE

A beautiful climber, always a favorite, with delicate, feathery, dark green foliage, bearing bright, velvety, star-shaped flowers in scarlet or white. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

Ramey, Minn., 1909. "I have bought goods from you for 12 years and have got others to buy. Have always found them all right."—MARY J. CREESEY.





### DAHLIA

Dahlias are as easily raised from seed as sunflowers, and one often gets unique and beautiful sorts in this way. They bloom the first year, beginning in mid-summer and continue until frost.

**Double Dahlias, Best Mixed.** A splendid strain saved from the best and latest varieties. Pkt., 25 seeds, 6c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

**Double Cactus Dahlias.** A favorite new type. The flowers are just as double but are less regular and formal, which gives an added grace and charm. Mixed. Pkt., 25 seeds, 6c.

**Single Prize Dahlia.** A wonderfully beautiful strain of the popular single Dahlia, including the much advertised Century Dahlia. The flowers come in all the Dahlia colors and are truly giant in size. Single Dahlias are more highly prized for decorating than the double. Mixed. Pkt., 40 seeds, 5c.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Mar., 09. "From 25 Dahlia seeds we got 23 plants, and from the Primrose 14 plants. Nasturtiums were also very good."—Miss CONSTANCE JOHNSON



### SHASTA DAISY

This is one of the many important contributions to the floral world made by the famous Luther Burbank. It is perennial and absolutely hardy, and is one of the few that blooms the first year from seed. The flowers are snowy white, with yellow center, extremely large and graceful, freely produced on long, stiff stems, splendid for cutting. 2 feet. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.

### SHASTA DAISY, NEW HYBRIDS

New types, far surpassing other daisies of this class in grace and purity of color. Some are pure white, others of a creamy yellow, with petals variously curled and fringed, all beautiful types. This is a mixture of the three new sorts listed as Alaskan, California and Westralia. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

### DUSTY MILLER

Valuable foliage plants, used to mass with dark-leaved plants, or for edging of beds. A fine mixture of *Contautrea Gymnocarpa* and *Cineraria Maritima*. Some are hardy perennials. 1 foot. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

### DATURA, OR TRUMPET FLOWER

A bushy plant, bearing immense funnel-shaped blossoms, delicately scented, there being as many as 200 blossoms on a single plant in a season. Deliciously Fragrant. Double and single mixed. 2 feet. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4c.



# DAISIES

## ENGLISH DAISIES

**Giant Double Daisy, Mixed.** No flower has more often been the theme of the poet than the dainty English Daisy, my mixture contains the *Bride*, *Snowball* and *Longfellow* varieties, and will give extra large and very double flowers. With protection the plants live over winter, and their blossoms are the first to greet one in the spring. Mixed. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

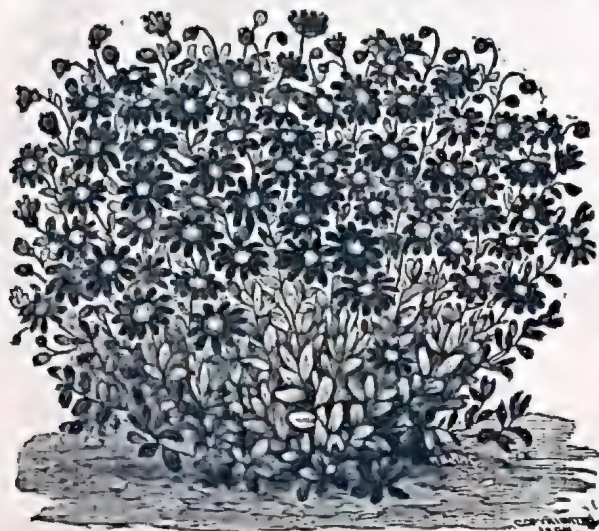
**Longfellow Daisy.** The "wee modest, crimson-tipped flower," remarkable for the size and doubleness of its dainty rosy blossoms. Very pretty to mass with its companion in white. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.

**Snowball Daisy.** Although perennial, the English Daisies bloom the first year from spring-sown seed. The *Snowball* is an extra large, very double, pure white daisy. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.

## ORANGE DAISY

A very showy, hardy perennial, with bright orange flowers, somewhat resembling an aster. Particularly fine for its decorative effect in the garden or for cutting. It thrives best in a shady location, and if grown in a moist, well-drained situation, it will flower the first year. Height 9 inches. Pkt., 100 seeds, 6c.

Moorhead, Ia., Jan., '09. "I have found your seeds perfectly satisfactory. Never saw such *Geraniums* as those grown from your seeds."—Mrs. F. E. LEX.



## BLUE DAISY (*Agatheae Coelestis*)

The plant grows about eighteen inches high, is much branched and literally covered with blossoms of a beautiful blue, a counterpart in size and shape of the *Marguerite Daisy* grown by florists. It is a greenhouse perennial and may be used for the garden in summer, or the window in winter. Pkt., 75 seeds, 8c.

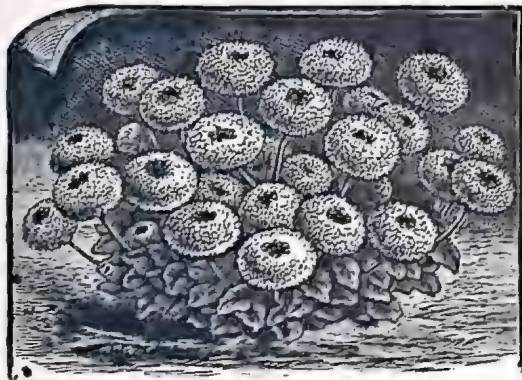
## EUPHORBIA

**Euphorbia Heterophylla.** Also called the Mexican Fire Plant, Annual Poinsetta or Painted Leaf. The plant grows 2 to 3 feet high, branching into a shapely bush. The leaves at first are a glossy green, but about midsummer they begin to turn at the tips of the branches to a striking orange scarlet, resembling the beautiful hothouse Poinsetta. Pkt., 30 seeds, 5c.

**Euphorbia Variegata** (Snow on the Mountain). This grows much like the above, only the foliage is veined and margined with white, and in the garden the bushes have the appearance of being a mass of beautiful white flowers. If people only knew how attractive this is, it would be in be in every garden. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

Oxfordville, Wis., Sept., '09. "I must tell how pleased I am with the seeds and bulbs from you. The *Dahlias* are beautiful. The large red is a wonder and such *Asters* one seldom sees.

Mrs. HEYER HOWE.



English Daisy



*Helichrysum*

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PREMIUMS

### EVERLASTINGS

Everlasting flowers, when wanted for winter bouquets, should be picked before fully open, and hung head downward to dry.

**Acroclinium Roseum.** One of the most beautiful Everlastings. Flowers double, a delicate rose pink with golden center. Pkt., 75 seeds, 3c.

**Ammobium Alatum.** Flowers white and very double. Being smaller than other Everlastings, they give variety to the winter bouquet. The buds, too, are pretty and should be gathered freely. Pkt., 150 seeds, 3c.

**Edelweiss.** The beautiful Alpine flower of which so much is written in song and story. This is a hardy perennial with woolly white flowers suitable for rock-work or rocky hillsides. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**Globe Amaranth.** The plants bear great quantities of clover-like blossoms. Attractive in bud and flower. Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 3c.

**Helichrysum Monstrosum.** Straw Flower. The blossoms are large and extra double in many shades of yellow and scarlet, about as showy as asters. Mixed. Pkt., 150 seeds, 3c.

**Rhodanthe.** Flowers are deep blood red, rose and yellow shades, with dark eyes. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.

**Xeranthemum.** Beautiful violet and rose-colored flowers. Both buds and flowers are handsome to save. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

**Mixed Everlastings.** A mixture of the above seven named varieties, affording a splendid assortment. Large pkt., 5c.

**Collection of Everlastings.** One-half pkt. each of my seven varieties, 12c.

### ESCHSCHOLTZIA or California Poppy

**Eschscholtzia, Burbank's New Crimson.** Lovely clear rosy-crimson flowers the most beautiful of the new crimson-flowered type. 1 foot. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**Bush Eschscholtzia.** The plant makes a low shrubby bush, with flowers like the ordinary Eschscholtzia in color and form but daintily crinkled and extra large, on long stiff stems. The most beautiful thing in yellow for cut flowers. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.

**Eschscholtzia, "Golden West."** The California state flower, dotting her meadows and making them gay with brilliant yellow. This strain bears extra large flowers, three inches or more in diameter. Pkt., 250 seeds, 4c.

**Eschscholtzia, Mixed.** The above varieties and other shades of yellow, white and rose. Mixed. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3c.

### SWEET FERN

A graceful plant of the *Artemisia* family, growing 3 to 5 feet tall, with finely cut foliage and tiny greenish flowers, prized for its aromatic qualities. A few sprays afford a beautiful garnish for a bouquet, or placed in the handkerchief box impart a delicate perfume. Hardy annual. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

### FOUR O'CLOCKS

Four O'Clocks should be grown for the children if for no other purpose, from which they may pick freely, they so enjoy the bright colors and sweet odor. A special mixed collection. In a large garden they can be used effectively to border walks, or as a background for lower-growing plants. 2 to 3 feet. Pkt., 25 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

*Bush Eschscholtzia*



## FORGET-ME-NOT

In the days of old, a German knight lost his life in trying to secure for his lady love a tiny blue flower, growing on the Danube, crying as he fell into the river "Vergiss mein nicht!" (Forget me not), thus naming this beautiful flower, and making of it an emblem of fidelity. To let you try some of the choicest varieties I make a mixed packet containing the six most desirable sorts: *Alpestris*, the Alpine Forget-me-not; *Discoflora*, large blue, very early; *Elisa Fonrobert*, large, distinct type; *Indigo*, an intense dark blue; *Palustris*, the true Forget-me-not, bright blue with yellow center; *Sylvatica*, a splendid sort for spring bedding; *Victoria*, dwarf, very floriferous. These different sorts are in varying shades of blue, and will furnish both early and late bloomers, thus giving the longest possible flowering season, and many will bloom the first year. 6 inches. Pkt., 250 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

Three Baby Roses for 35c Postpaid.—Baby Rambler (crimson), Baby Dorothy (rose-pink), White Baby Rambler (true).



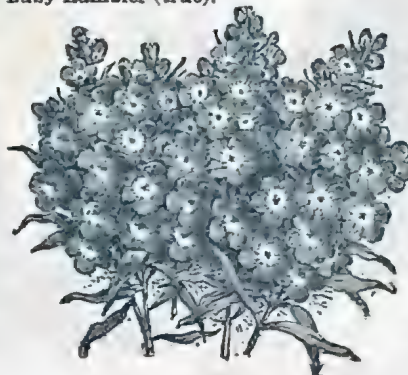
## FOXGLOVE, OR DIGITALIS

The Foxglove becomes more popular each year. It is perennial and perfectly hardy. Very easily grown from seed and is fine for shrubberies and other partially shaded places. It sends up stately stalks, 2 to 3 feet high, covered with thimble-shaped flowers in varied and beautiful colors. I offer a mixture of several choice strains, the *Gloxiniæflora*, rivaling the gloxinia in shadings and markings; *Monstrosa*, with its mammoth stalks, each having a large terminal flower, curious and beautiful; and the *Maculata*, a charming new spotted strain. Splendid mixed. 3 to 5 feet. Pkt., 400 seeds, 4c.

### THREE CHOICE CLEMATIS PLANTS

Postpaid for 35c.

Henryii (white), Jackmanni (purplish blue), Mad. Andre (red).



Snowball Feverfew

## FEVERFEW

**Feverfew, Snowball.** Charming little plants about eight inches high, oval in shape; very desirable for bedding or for edging. During the long blooming season they are densely covered with clusters of pure white, double flowers. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3c.

**Feverfew, Golden Ball.** Another dwarf variety, bearing beautiful golden, ball-like flowers. A combination of the white and golden makes a lovely show, either in mass or as edging. Both are hardy perennials, blooming the first season. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.

**Feverfew, Golden Feather.** *Parthenifolium Aureum.* Low growing plants with golden variegated foliage, used for edgings. Pkt., 500 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 10c.

## GAURA LINDHEIMERI

A graceful perennial, bearing numerous spikes of rosy-white flowers from July until frost. It is constantly seen in European gardens, but is not so well known here. Hardy in all but the northern regions of our country. 3 feet. Pkt., 5c.



**FREESIA**

These beautiful plants, though generally grown from the bulbs, may be easily raised from seed and made to bloom within a year. The flowers are deliciously fragrant, cut well and are adapted to design work. White and mixed colors. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

**GAILLARDIA  
(BLANKET FLOWER)**

Showy annuals and perennials, bearing large daisy-like blossoms in brilliant shades of yellow, orange and scarlet. The petals are zoned in varying brilliant colors and fringed, making especially handsome flowers for cutting. Very profuse bloomers, continuing in flower from early summer till November.

**Gaillardia, Annual Varieties, Mixed.** A splendid assortment of both double and single sorts. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4c.

**Gaillardia, Perennial Varieties, Mixed.** Saved from all the newest and best grandiflora varieties. Perfectly hardy and should be found in every garden. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4c.

**FUCHSIA**

Fuchsias are not difficult to raise from seed if given a warm temperature. The seed may be sown at any time, the plants coming into flower in three or four months. The seedlings make robust plants and often give charming new varieties. The strain I offer has been carefully saved from the choicest varieties, both single and double. Pkt., 20 seeds, 10c.

**GILIA**

The Gilia grows about a foot high, has dainty flowers in rose, blue or white, and graceful, finely cut foliage, serving nicely for a decoration of green. A good honey plant. Pkt., 400 seeds, 3c.

**"CULTURE OF FLOWERS"**

What my customers think of it. Maple Creek, Sask. "Your Culture Book is full of valuable information which I have never had before. Many thanks."

Mrs. H. ROBERTSON.

Free with orders of 25c or over.



Fuchsia

**GERANIUM**

**New California Geranium.** Seedling Geraniums almost always give some new varieties, and being easy to cultivate they are an interesting plant to grow from seed. This mixture contains a splendid new strain of California Zonal varieties in shades of bluish, pink, crimson, scarlet, the lovely Lady Washington Geranium, or Pelargonium, and Apple-Scented Geraniums, and will be found unsurpassed in vitality and variety. Pkt., 40 seeds, 10c.; half pkt., containing the same varieties, except Apple-Scented, 20 seeds, 5c.

**Apple-Scented Geranium.** Prized for its fragrant leaves. The finest plants come only from seed. Pkt., 30 seeds, 6c.

**Lady Washington Geranium.** Pkt., 10 seeds, 12c.

**GODETIA, the "Satin Flower"**

**Godetia, Crimson King.** A lovely new variety of these low-growing annuals, with large, wide-open satiny flowers in a brilliant crimson scarlet with showy white center, very striking. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

**Godetia, Mixed.** White, lilac, rose and deep shades of pink and crimson, delicately shaded and spotted. 8 inches. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3c.





### GLOXINIA

Popular greenhouse and conservatory plants with gorgeous, bell-shaped flowers and ornamental foliage. This is a splendid mixture grown for me by a well-known German expert, and includes many choice strains, among them being *Emperor Frederick*, flowers of a fiery scarlet, encircled by a pure white band; *Emperor William*, lovely blue shades; *Queen Louisa*, a new and charming spotted variety; *Gigantea*, enormously large flowers; *Fulcherima*, splendid delicate shades, finely spotted and many other brilliant combinations. Indeed, all the Gloxinia colors are so brilliant one seldom grows an unsatisfactory plant. Mixed. Pkt., 85 seeds, 7c.

### GOURDS

If you have an odd corner or an old brush heap, trail the gourd vine over it. Its fruit has many uses, but if for no other purpose raise it for the little ones. They much enjoy the striped, odd-shaped fruits. This is a splendid mixture, including Apple, Pear, Serpent, Bottle, Dipper, Dishcloth, Jonah's Gourd, Hercules Club, Japanese Nest Egg, Orange, Pomegranate and many other sorts. Pkt., 30 seeds, 4c.; large pkt.,  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.



### GREVILLEA OR "SILK OAK"

A valuable decorative plant for the winter window garden, germinating readily from seed and making in two or three months' time a very ornamental little plant. The laciniated foliage gives it somewhat the appearance of a fern, but it is much hardier and more useful as a decorative plant. 2 feet. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.



### GLADIOLUS

It is interesting to raise Gladioli from seed and see the endless variety of colors and fantastic markings that come from the seedlings, scarcely any two being alike. One often gets new and important varieties from seed. This is a specially prepared mixture grown from three well-known strains, *Childsii*, *Gandavensis* and *Lemoine* 3 feet. Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.

### HARDY HIBISCUS

Hardy perennials that bloom the first year, bearing large hollyhock-shaped blossoms. My seed is a mixture of three choice varieties, namely: "*Crimson Eye*," large white blossoms with a bright crimson center; "*Sunset*," canary yellow with garnet throat; and "*Royal Pink*," soft delicate pink, with throat of deep crimson. 4 feet. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

### HEUCHERA SANGUINEA, "Coral Bells,"

One of the finest of hardy perennials. The plants are compact, with foliage beautifully cut and marbled. The flowers are brilliant red, very showy, and borne in extravagant abundance in long, graceful spikes. 1 foot. Pkt., 500 seeds, 5c.



Gourds





### ORNAMENTAL GRASSES

For ornamenting the border, for summer cutting, and for the winter bouquet, these are indispensable. This mixture includes beautiful feathery and striped grasses and many other choice varieties. Some are annual, others perennial. Large pkt., 50c.

### HYACINTH BEAN (*Dolichos*)

Rapid climbers; ornamental in both foliage and flower.

"Princess Helen," or Daylight. Bears long spikes of showy white blossoms, followed by waxy white pods. Pkt., 3 seeds, 4c.

Dwarf Daylight, or New Bush *Dolichos*. Grows in compact bushes about a foot high, surmounted by enormous spikes of pure white flowers, standing 10 to 15 inches above the foliage and followed by creamy white pods. Pkt., 10 seeds, 5c.

Purple Bean, or "Darkness." This has especially dark, rich purple blossoms and glossy purple pods, fully as showy as the flowers. Pkt., 15 seeds, 4c.

Hyacinth Bean, Mixed. The above three varieties mixed. Pkt., 15 seeds, 4c.



### GYPHOPHILA,

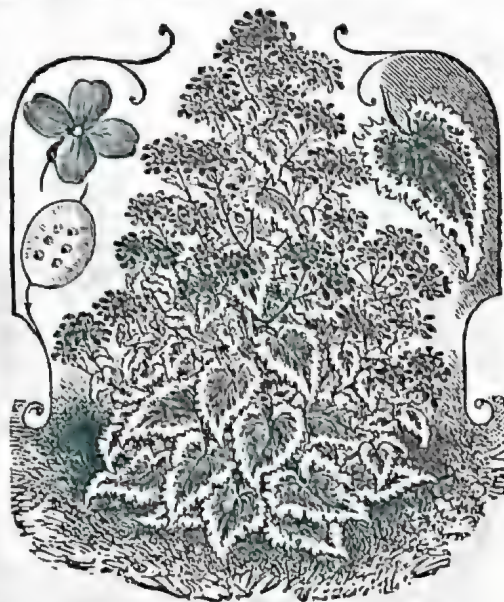
#### "ANGELS BREATH"

*Gypsophila paniculata*, also called "Baby's Breath." No lady who delights to adorn her room with beautiful flowers should be without it. It is extensively used for decorating, its mist-like sprays setting off a bouquet as dainty lace does a lady's dress. Hardly perennial. Pkt., 500 seeds, 4c.

*Gypsophila*, Annual Mixed. Sow at different times throughout the season and always have a quantity to use for decorating. Pkt., 500 seeds, 3c.

### HELENIUM HELIOPSIS

Yellow flowers are always popular. These two, the former called Sneezewort and the latter Orange Sunflower, are hardy perennials, bearing thru out the season their deep golden flowers, excellent for cutting or for the border. 3 to 4 feet. *Helenium* and *Heliopsis* Mixed. Pkt., 5c.



### HONESTY, or Satin Flower

A new variegated-leaved variety of this hardy biennial. It blooms early, bearing purple or white flowers, but is most prized for its curious seed pods. These are beautiful, transparent, silvery-white discs, and are used for the winter bouquet, or other house decoration. 2 feet. Mixed. Pkt., 25 seeds, 5c.

### JAPANESE MAIZE

A highly decorative ornamental corn. In some the leaves are variegated like those of the striped grass, while in others they are striped with pink and other rainbow colors. Pretty for the center of a tropical bed, or as a screen against the fence, or as a background in a border. Pkt., 35 seeds, 4c.





### LEMOINE'S GIANT HELIOTROPE

A magnificent new strain of imported varieties, producing immense heads, 10 to 15 inches, across, with thousands of individual florets. This mixture contains the new **Queen Marguerite Heliotrope**, with large dark blue umbels, the largest and finest of all. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

**Garden Heliotrope.** *Valeriana Officinalis*. Hardy perennial. Large heads of sweetly scented, delicate flowers in white and red. 2 feet. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3c.

### HOLLYHOCKS

**English Prize Hollyhock.** Constant experimenting by hybridization and selection has secured flowers of extreme size and fullness, unsurpassed in beauty and variety of colors. An extra fine strain that pleases the most fastidious. Mixed. Pkt., 60 seeds, 6c.

**Double Hollyhock, Fine Mixed.** A very fine mixture. Pkt., 60 seeds, 4c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25c.

**Double Hollyhock, Pink.** Delicate rose. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

**Double Hollyhock, Red.** Deep blood-red. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

**Double Hollyhock, White.** Snow white. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

**Double Hollyhock, Yellow.** Beautiful canary yellow. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

**Allegheny Hollyhock.** A handsome semi-double strain, very popular because of its long flowering season. Mixed. Pkt., 60 seeds, 5c.

**New Annual Hollyhocks.** A handsome new strain of Hollyhocks that bloom from seed the first year, and are especially valuable for their unusually long blooming period. Plants started in March or April will bloom in August. Mixed. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25c.

**Single Hollyhock.** Splendid mixed. Pkt., 60 seeds, 4c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c.

### IMPATIENS SULTANI

Or the Zanzibar Balsam, much prized for the window or summer garden. The foliage is a waxy green, and with the semi-transparent branches makes the plant in itself attractive. Then, it is almost never without its bright, rosy flowers. These are single, and measure from 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter and are very delicate and pretty. No plant comes nearer to being a perpetual bloomer. New hybrids mixed Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.

### ICE PLANT

A trailing plant, with curious foliage, covered with glossy globules, looking like minute drops of dew. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3c.



**LAVATERA (Annual Mallow)**

A beautiful and showy annual, about two feet high and covered the entire summer with cup-shaped flowers in shrimp pink or pure white. See cut below. Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.

**LAVENDER (Lavendula Spica)**

The old-fashioned, sweet scented, Lavender of our grandmothers' gardens, bearing long spikes of blue flowers. One sees now-a-days dainty favors made by using the leaves, or by weaving the long stems with "baby" ribbon into pretty wands for a handkerchief box. 1 to 3 feet. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

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**LANTANA**

An ornamental plant suitable for the open bed in summer, and always a favorite for the winter window garden. It blossoms in verbena-like clusters in orange, white or pink shades. I offer a strain of the improved varieties. 2 to 3 feet. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4c.

**JAPANESE HOP**

For a rapid growing vine, nothing is better than the Japan Hop. The foliage is luxuriant, the leaves being smaller and more delicate than those of the common hop, and curiously marked with silvery and yellowish-white streaks. Hardy perennial. Pkt., 40 seeds, 5c.

**KENILWORTH IVY**

Nothing is much prettier for the hanging basket. It comes quickly from seed, is very hardy, and grows under severest neglect. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.

**JAPANESE IRIS**

The beauty of the Iris family is well known, the blooms rivaling the lily in stateliness and the orchids in rich color. I offer a particularly fine strain of newest Japanese varieties. Hardy perennial. Mixed. Pkt., 25 seeds, 5c.

**JAPANESE KUDZU VINE**

A fast-growing, hardy climber. The first season it grows ten feet, and after becoming established it often makes a growth of fifty feet in a season. The flowers are rosy-purple and pea-shaped. For vigorous growth and fine shade it is unsurpassed. Pkt., 20 seeds, 4c.



Lavatera





Allen's Defiance  
Mignonette

### MIGNONETTE

**Allen's Defiance.** The finest and most fragrant variety yet produced, the favorite for cutting. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.

**Golden Machtet Mignonette.** Massive spikes of golden yellow flowers of delicious fragrance. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.

**Mignonette, Goliath.** Large crimson flowers of delightful fragrance. Claimed to be the most beautiful Mignonette in existence. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**Mignonette Odorata.** Common sweet variety. Pkt., 200 seeds, 3c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.

**Mixed Mignonette.** A splendid mixture of all the newest sorts, including my four named varieties, and Parson's White, Red Victoria and Giant Pyramidal. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.

### KOCHIA TRICOPHYLLA or Burning Bush

This is variously called Standing, or Summer Cypress, Fireball or Fire Plant. A more beautiful decorative plant has not been introduced in years. It grows quickly, forming neat, compact, perfectly oval bushes, 2 to 4 feet high. Annual. Pkt., 4c.

### LARKSPUR Delphinium

**Imperial Larkspur.** My special mixture of double annual stock-flowered Larkspur. A very choice, improved strain, made up from named varieties. If you have not seen Larkspurs for a few years these will surprise you. 2 feet. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3c.

**Perennial Larkspur.** Included in this mixture are the latest Chinese and French hybrids Formosum, or Bee Larkspur, Cardinale, and a splendid strain of Burbank's Delphiniums. Mixed. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.

**Larkspur Collection.** A special imported collection of annual Larkspurs, 8 kinds separate, 25 seeds each, 15c.

### LACE VINE

**Adlumia Cirrhosa, or Mountain Fringe,** a beautiful climber with lace-like foliage much used for decorating. It does not climb until the second year, but it yields the first season an abundance of beautiful green sprays. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.

### LINUM (Flax)

**Linum Rubrum (Crimson Flax).** The foliage is delicate and the bright, scarlet flowers are very pretty. 1 foot. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3c.

**Linum Perenne.** A hardy perennial, bearing beautiful blue blossoms.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4c.

### LOBELIA

Much used for edgings; effective also for the hanging basket, rockery or porch box.

**Lobelia, Barnard's Perpetual.** Large deep ultramarine blue, with white eye. Pkt., 500 seeds, 5c.

**Lobelia, Cardinalis.** The gorgeous Cardinal flower, a hardy perennial, bearing long spikes of intensely scarlet flowers. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**Lobelia, Crystal Palace.** The standard blue variety for edgings and vases. Pkt., 600 seeds, 3c.



### ELDORADO MARIGOLD

The Eldorado grows very rank and tall and is surmounted by great golden balls, sometimes fourteen inches in circumference. The flowers are very double, with petals quilled as in the Dahlia, appearing in shades of lemon and orange yellow. 2 feet. Pkt., 100 seeds 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

**Eldorado Marigold, Prize Strain,** including Pride of the Garden, Lemon Queen, Prince of Orange and Nugget of Gold, all new varieties, very large and perfect. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.

### FRENCH MARIGOLD

**Dwarf French.** Nice compact, ornamental plants, 1 foot high. Six best named varieties mixed. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.

**Tall French.** Splendid for cutting. Six choicest named varieties mixed. 2 feet. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.

### LYCHNIS GRANDIFLORA

Every list of desirable perennials contains the Lychnis. It blooms the first year, and if kept from seeding will be covered for months with brilliant flowers in gorgeous scarlet and other beautiful shades. New hybrid varieties mixed.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.



**MOURNING BRIDE (Scabiosa)**

A splendid mixture of the tall, large flowering sorts, including **Black Prince**, a rich black maroon, **Flery Scarlet**, **Snowball**, pure white and very double, and all other desirable colors. Valuable for cutting. Mixed. Pkt., 60 seeds, 5c.

**Collection of Six Varieties.** I offer for exhibition purposes an imported collection of the six choicest sorts. 6 packets, 30 seeds each, 15c.

**MORNING GLORY, Mixed**

The old-fashioned, common Morning Glory. A splendid mixture of named varieties. Pkt., 75 seeds, 3c.; oz., 10c.

**BRAZILIAN MORNING GLORY**

A rapid grower, bearing large clusters of beautiful, rose-colored flowers; very ornamental, because of the knairy appearance of the leaves and the tiny brown spines that cover the branches and stems. Pkt., 10 seeds, 5c.

**DOUBLE WHITE TASSEL MORNING GLORY**

Beautiful white, very double and fringed blossoms, coming true from seed. Flowers remain open all day. Pkt., 10 seeds, 5c.

**WHAT IS A BORDER?**

This term is seen in all floral catalogues, books or magazines. Some do not understand its use. By border planting is meant the planting of a strip against a background such as a fence, a row of trees or shrubbery, or a house. This is generally laid out with an irregular line to the front, and is planted in a mass with tall growing things in the rear, grading down to low plants along the front edge. Both perennials and annuals may be used. For list suitable for a border see page 39.

**GIANT  
PINK MOONFLOWER**

Of marvelous growth, the plants beginning to bloom nearly as soon as the Morning Glory. They remain open from four o'clock in the afternoon until about noon the next day, and cover the vines all summer and fall. Pkt., 10 seeds, 5c.

**EARLY  
GIANT MOONFLOWER**

The genuine Southern Moonflower, of whose beauty and fragrance so much is told. Here is a grand new hybrid variety from 40 to 60 days earlier than the old style, bearing just as large and beautiful flowers. It will come into flower in the extreme North about August 15, from seed sown out of doors May 1. Starting it indoors gives a longer period of bloom. Pkt., 8 seeds, 7c.

**MAURANDIA VINE**

One of the prettiest things I saw last summer was a little cottage embowered in Maurandia Vine. The foliage is delicate and it bears profusely pretty blue, white or rosy lilac flowers. Pretty pot plants. Mixed. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**MIMULUS, OR  
"MONKEY FLOWER"**

**Mimulus, Queen's Prize.** Showy profuse-flowering plants, bearing bell-shaped blossoms with white and yellow grounds, spotted with pink or scarlet shades. Fine for greenhouse or moist, shady positions. The Queen's Prize is an exceedingly fine strain, with extra large blossoms and beautiful colors and markings. Pkt., 500 seeds, 5c.

**Mimulus Moschatum, or Musk Plant.** Small, yellow flowers, fragrant foliage. Pretty for hanging baskets. Pkt., 500 seeds, 5c.

**JAPANESE  
MORNING GLORY**

The beautiful rich, velvety colorings of the common Morning Glory are intensified in these gorgeous varieties, and the shadings and markings are decidedly curious and varied, while the size of the flowers and variegated foliage are additional elements of beauty. This has proved a great delight and all that the brilliantly colored designs and extravagant descriptions depict, and is one of the recent introductions that has come to stay. See "Culture of Flowers" for special directions. Mixed. Pkt., 60 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.; oz., 25c.

See Special Vegetable Seed  
Offer on Page 56.—ANY 10  
PKTS., YOUR CHOICE, 30 cts.



# NASTURTIUMS

## TALL, OR CLIMBING NASTURTIUMS

**Brilliant.** Dark scarlet, dark foliage. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Jupiter.** Deep golden yellow. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**King of Blacks.** Dark crimson maroon. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Rose Queen.** Pinkish rose, nearest to pink. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Scheuerianum.** Straw, crimson and garnet. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Variegated-leaved, mixed.** Leaves variegated with yellow, white and green. The flowers are varied, as in the regular mixtures, but the foliage is new and striking, and affords something new for decorating. Pkt., 20 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 12c.  
**Tall Mixed, Giants of California.** An extra large-flowering strain of many choice varieties and brilliant colorings. Pkt., 35 seeds, 4c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 8c.; oz., 12c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30c.

## DWARF NASTURTIUMS

**King Theodore.** Dark maroon. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Prince Henry.** Cream, splashed with rose. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Ruby King.** Ruby red, salmon tinted. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Spotted King.** Orange spotted crimson. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Vesuvius.** Brilliant salmon-pink. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.  
**Variegated-leaved, mixed.** Edge your beds or walks with these Variegated-leaved Nasturtiums and you will get the finest possible effect. If plants are far enough apart (at least a foot), they will make perfect little hemispheres of variegated beauty. Pkt., 20 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 12c.  
**Dwarf Mixed.** A splendid mixture. Pkt., 30 seeds, 3c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 7c.; 1 oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 30c.

## NEW LILIPUT NASTURTIUMS

The most dwarf of all, producing small dense bushes almost hidden by the flowers that are thrown up in a beautiful mass well above the foliage. Especially fine for edging other beds or walks. Four new sorts, offered for the first time.

Price of each, per Pkt., 15 seeds, 8c.

**Liliput Baby Rose.** Pure white with deep rose markings.  
**Liliput Fairy King.** Eerie rose.  
**Liliput Fairy Queen.** Light with lavender markings.  
**Liliput Lady Cherry.** Dark foliage, rich cherry flower.  
**Liliput Mixed.** The above four sorts mixed. Pkt., 15 seeds, 8c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20c.

## NASTURTIUMS, ALL SORTS MIXED

This mixture contains the named varieties, and mixtures described on this page, and includes everything I offer, except the Liliput sorts. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.; oz., 15c.



## MY SPECIAL MIXTURE OF TALL NASTURTIUMS

For richness and variety of color this mixture cannot be excelled. I make it myself and include all the tall varieties named on this page and many other choice kinds, using in all 30 distinct named varieties of the most desirable sorts. It will give rich colors in maroon, crimson, scarlet and claret shades, besides many mottled sorts. Mixed. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.; oz., 15c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c.

## MY SPECIAL MIXTURE OF DWARF NASTURTIUMS

This is also especially prepared by myself from named varieties, including all the dwarf sorts described on this page (except Liliput), and will give a splendid variety of colors, as rich and varied as any other mixture offered. Pkt., 35 seeds, 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.; oz., 15c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb., 45c.

## COLLECTION OF NASTURTIUMS

One-half packet each of all the named varieties and mixtures described on this page, except the Liliput varieties. 16 half-packets, 30c.

St. Louis, Mo., Apr., 69. "My sister of Cincinnati, had from your seed the most beautiful Nasturtiums I ever saw."—Mrs. F. W. PATTON



**PAEONY**

One of the most satisfactory perennials. The seed is slow in germinating, and the plants do not bloom until the second or third year, but once established they pay for the long waiting, and one often gets new and valuable varieties from the seedlings. Fresh seed sown in the fall will come up the following spring. Mixed. Pkt., 12 seeds, 5c.

Hybrids of *Nicotiana glauca***NICOTIANA**

*Nicotiana glauca* Hybrids. Small, graceful flowers, in many shades of crimson, purple, carmine, pink or mauve. 2 to 3 feet. Mixed. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

*Nicotiana*, Mixed. Three popular varieties, all white, viz.: *Affinis*, the common variety; *Sylvestris*, plants not so straggling and tubes of the blossoms much longer; *Collossea*, new and gigantic in size, magnificent as a foliage plant 2 to 3 feet. Mixed. Pkt., 500 seeds, 5c.



Mt. Grove,  
Mo., Apr., '09  
"Have always  
had Nasturtium  
beds  
from your  
seeds the envy  
of the whole  
country."  
Miss Lucile  
West.

**NIGELLA, Miss Jekyll**

A new variety of this hardy annual. "Love-in-a-mist," bearing an abundance of long-stemmed flowers in clear corn-flower blue, charmingly embedded in the lacy, fern-like foliage. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c

**NOLANA**

The Nolanas are charming little trailing plants, unsurpassed for pots, rock-work or hanging baskets. The word Nolana means a little bell which describes the shape of the beautiful sky-blue flowers. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3c.

**ORNAMENTAL PEPPERS, Mixed**

The cultivation of small-fruited peppers for the window or ornamental garden is exciting much attention, and there are many new and odd sorts which are interesting to grow besides being of use for seasoning, etc. This mixture contains the popular Christmas Pepper; Elephant's Trunk; Tom Thumb; Little Gem; Prince of Wales; Japanese Fancy, heart-shaped; Kaleidoscope, plum-shaped, white turning to red; Cherry Red and Cherry Yellow, with cherry-like fruits; and Red Chili, small scarlet, used for "pepper sauce." Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 4c.

**OENOTHERA, Evening Primrose**

There are many beautiful varieties of these hardy annuals and perennials. I have what I consider the best four, and offer them in a mixture viz.: *Aucalis*, silvery white flowers; *Drummondii*, mixed colors; *Lamarekiana*, enormous yellow flowers, very showy and hardy; *Rosen*, the Mexican primrose, with large pink blossoms. 1 to 2 ft. Mixed. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**OXALIS**

This is a mixture of three annual varieties: *Rosca*, beautiful rose-colored flowers, excellent for hanging baskets; *Tropaeoloides*, dark brown foliage with yellow flowers fine for edgings; *Valdiviana*, deep yellow, with reddish streaks. Mixed. 4 inches. Pkt., 175 seeds, 4c.

**A QUESTION ANSWERED**

These are pretty as edging for flower beds or walks: *Ageratum*, *Gem Alyssum*, *Dwarf Coreopsis*, *Dwarf Variegated Nasturtium*, *Dwarf Phlox*, *Golden Faverfew*, *Liliput Nasturtium*, *Portulaca*.





Cheatham, Pa.,  
Apr., '09. "From  
your Primrose seed  
I got 25 plants and  
twelve colors."

—Mrs. N. J. ARKOLD

Double Petunia (One-third size)

Stonham, Mass., Oct. '09. "I  
send slip of a Double Petunia  
raised from your Giants of Cali-  
fornia. It is such a fine one I  
want you to see it."

Mrs. C. A. CARY.

## GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA, Double Mixed

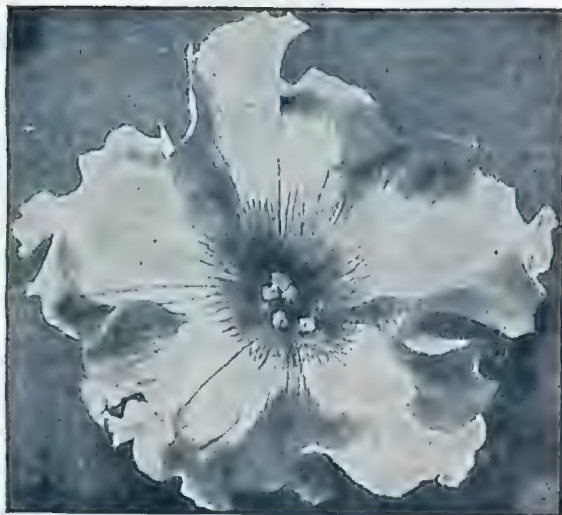
I have taken utmost pains to secure the very best strains of Double Petunia, and in order to offer my patrons the handsomest varieties have mixed the strains of three expert growers, who have devoted years to the development of these large-flowering fancy Petunias. The seeds will give a good percentage of deeply fringed, double flowers, in the brightest colors and most beautiful tints. Those that come single will be of choice varieties. The flowers in the cut above were from one of my growers. Pkt., 50 seeds, 10c.; 2 pkts., 17c.

**Double White Petunias.** Very double and beautifully fringed. Pkt., 40 seeds, 10c.

## PERRILLA MANKINENSIS

A tall growing decorative plant, with purplish mulberry-colored foliage, pretty to mass with silver or green-leaved plants. It is very pretty for the border, where tall effects are desired, and should be better known. 2 feet. Pkt., 100 seeds, 3c.

Hadden, Ct., Apr., '09. Last year I had your seeds. My flowers were all lovely. Some thought I must have bought my Asters at a greenhouse, and the Petunias, too, were unusually fine."—Mrs. Wm. DAVIS.



From a photo of my Giants of California Petunias (One-half size)

## PETUNIAS

**Glants of California, Single Mixed.** This mixture will give as handsome Petunias as any on the market. Some will measure four or five inches across, the corollas being ruffled, fluted or fringed, with extremely deep and large open throats. They appear in many shades and combinations, striped, blotched or solid in color. The seed is raised by experts who have won a wide reputation for their beautiful productions. Splendid mixed. Pkt., 100 seeds, 7c.; 2 pkts., 12c.

**Petunia, Howard's Star.** A unique and beautiful new starred Petunia, the handsomest starred variety. Mixed. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**Petunia, Lilliput, Mixed.** "Dwarf Inimitable." Compact plants covered thruout the season with richly colored, starred and mottled flowers. Pkt., 400 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 25c.

**Petunia, Rosy Morn.** Splendid for bedding or potting. The little plant is covered with myriads of delicate pink flowers thruout the season. I regard this as the handsomest named variety. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**Petunia, Splendid Mixed.** Solid colors, striped and star Petunias, Pkt., 400 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c.

**Special Mixed Petunia.** All five above strains. Pkt., 400 seeds, 5c.



*My Grandiflora Phlox (one-half size)***PHLOX DRUMMONDI**

**Phlox Grandiflora, Mixed.** A bed of Phlox insures perpetual bloom and supplies an abundance of cut flowers for the house. The Grandiflora is a large-flowering variety, both the single blossoms and flower heads being very large and showy. This is an exceptionally fine strain, as I make it myself, including 15 or more of the best named varieties. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

**Phlox, Salmon Pink.** Very effective and beautiful, especially when grown in a mass by itself or with white. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4c.

**Phlox, Scarlet Striped.** A lovely deep brilliant striped scarlet (see second flower), almost as handsome for bedding as geraniums. Pkt., 100 seeds, 4c.

**Phlox, White, with Eye.** Large white blossoms with deep purple eye. Very striking. Pretty for cemetery planting or for design work (see flower at right). Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.

**Phlox, Dwarf Mixed.** A lovely dwarf strain, splendid for edgings. The blossoms are borne in abundance, forming a floral crown for each little plant which will last for weeks. Mixed from named varieties. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.

**Phlox, Fringed and Star.** The petals of both these varieties are toothed or fringed; in the former they are bordered by an irregular line of white, while in the latter each petal sends out a long point, giving the blossom a star-like appearance. Mixed. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

**Phlox Drummondii, Special Mixed.** The preceding seven sorts mixed. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

**Collection of Grandiflora Phlox.** One-half pkt., each of 8 grand sorts, including those in the illustration and four others equally handsome, 20c.

Hopkins, Mo., Mar., '09. "I ordered from you last year and must say the Balsams were the finest I ever saw, and the California Poppies were very beautiful."—Mrs. J. W. New.

Grafton, Neb., Jan., '09. "Your Phlox and Sweet Peas were the finest I ever saw."—Mrs. Geo. Klein.

**PERENNIAL PHLOX**

Don't waste space on the homely faded out magenta shades of Perennial Phlox, when a few cents will give you some of the newest and choicest hybrid varieties. Sow seeds in the fall or in winter in a shallow box (with good drainage) and set it on the north side of the house to freeze and thaw. The seeds will come up in the spring. Finest mixed. 2 to 3 feet. Pkt., 40 seeds, 5c.

**QUESTION.****WHAT HAVE I NEW?**

Luther Burbank's famous **Wonderberry.** Pkt., 8c. See page 47.

A great **Jerusalem Cherry.** Berries 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inches in diameter. Highly ornamental. Pkt., 8c. See page 43.

The latest **Spencer Sweet Peas.** See page 11.

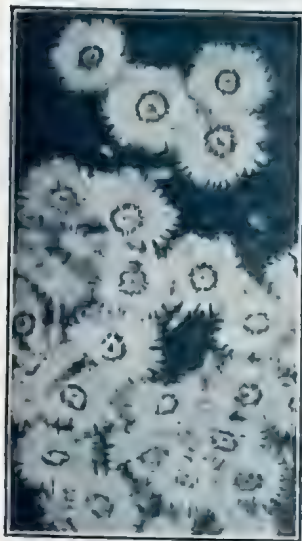
**PORTULACA, or Moss Rose**

**Double Portulaca, Mixed.** Low trailing annuals, with double flowers like charming little roses. Many brilliant colors. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.; 1/2 oz., 20c.

**Single Portulaca, Mixed.** Pretty to mass in a bed or on some sunny slope. Pkt., 400 seeds, 3c.; 1/2 oz., 12c.



# PINKS



Scotch or Grass Pink

## CHINESE PINK, (*Dianthus Sinensis*)

**Diadem Pink.** The largest double Pink. Flowers vary in color from lilac to crimson and maroon, with edges fringed and almost white. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

**Double Pink, Mixed.** A magnificent strain with large double fringed and beautifully colored flowers, from the purest white to rich, velvety reds. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

**Fireball Pink.** A splendid new variety, a dark blood red, very double, rich and velvety. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

**Giant Snowball Pink.** Double white. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

**Japanese Pink.** "Oriental Beauties." Extra large flowers, many exquisitely fringed and fluted. Colors range from pure white, through shades of pink and red, to darkest velvety crimson and blacks. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**Mourning Cloak Pink.** A large double flower of velvety blackish purple, margined and fringed with white. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**Single Mixed.** In solid colors, mottled, and zoned, with petals beautifully fringed, including Crimson Bell, Eastern Queen, Salmon Queen and the new Pink, Wonderful. Fully as desirable as the double sorts. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

## PHEASANT'S EYE PINK (*Dianthus Plumarius*)

The old-fashioned Garden or June Pink. The flowers are beautiful, of great diversity of colors and deliciously sweet-scented. Hardy perennial, but like the Chinese Pinks, new seed should be sown from time to time, as old plants die out. Single and double, mixed. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

## SCOTCH, OR GRASS PINK

A magnificent new strain of perpetual blooming Pinks, with colors of exquisite beauty, and marked by a deep velvety-red eye and a delicious clover-like odor. Double and single, mixed, including the new Rubra, or red hybrid varieties. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.

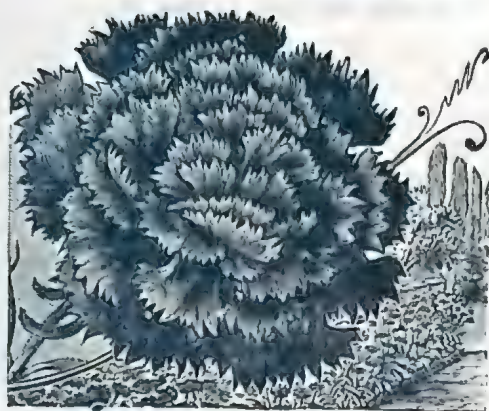
## PINKS, SPECIAL MIXED

A mixture of the above kinds (excepting Scotch Pink). Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

## COLLECTION OF PINKS

One-half packet each of my nine kinds, a splendid assortment, 20c.

Essex, Mass., March, '09. "The pinks I got of you were beautiful."—Mrs. A. L. BURN.



Fireball Pink

## PLATYCODON, or Japanese Flower

A hardy perennial that blooms the first year, with showy large bell-shaped flowers, in blue or white. 2 to 3 feet. See cut on page 40.

**Platycodon, Double and Single Mixed.** The plants are covered for a long period with their beautiful bell-shaped blossoms, forming highly ornamental little bushes. It is interesting, too, to watch the unfolding of the buds, which first appear like little puff balls. In the double sorts there will be two rows of petals, but not a large percentage will come double. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**Dwarf Platycodon.** Blossoms smaller and more bell-shaped. Bloom all summer. Pretty for an edging. Plants 6 to 8 inches. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

**What is a Border? See Page 34.**

### FOR A BORDER OF ANNUALS

4 to 5 ft.; Tall Canna, Cosmos, Hollyhock, Spider Plant, Sunflower;

3 to 4 ft.; Orlich Plume Cockscomb, Dahlis, Kochia, or Summer Cypress, Euphorbia, (Snow on the Mountain);

2 to 3 ft.; Four o'Clock, Marigold, Oenothera, Perilla, Salvia, Zinnia;

1 to 2 ft.; Aster, Balsam, Calendula, Coreopsis, Larkspur, Lavatera, Mourning Bride, Poppy, Salpiglossis;

10 to 12 in.; Ageratum, Alyssum, Butterfly Flower, Eschscholtzia, Mignonette, Dwarf Nasturtium, Petunia, Phlox, Pinks, Verbena,



# POPPIES



Admiral Poppy

## DOUBLE POPPIES

**Novelty Poppies.** Striped Japanese Poppies, with large, loosely double, striped flowers, in brilliant scarlet and white petals, fantastically cut and fringed. American Flag, Fairy Blush and Mikado included in this strain. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.

**Poppy, Scarlet.** Splendid to mass with the white poppy. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.

**Double Poppies, Mixed.** A mixture containing the above named varieties; also strains of Peony, Carnation and Ranunculus-Flowered and almost every variety of double poppy grown, giving every conceivable color. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.

## POPPIES, SPECIAL MIXED

All my single and double varieties mixed. Pkt., 300 seeds, 3c.; 2 pkts., 5c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.

## COLLECTION OF POPPIES

One-half packet of each of my nine varieties, 15c.

## SINGLE POPPIES

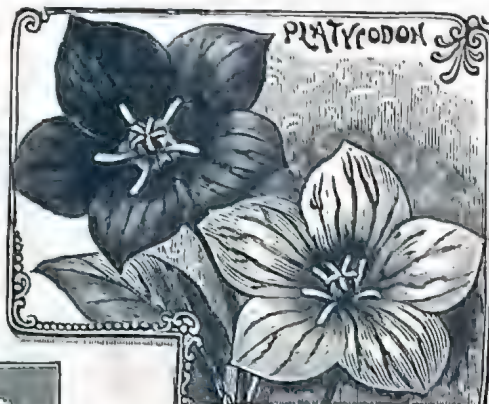
**Admiral Poppy.** New. The petals are pure white with a broad band of brilliant scarlet around the top. Planted in a mass the effect is magnificent. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.

**Improved Shirley, or Santa Rosa Poppy.** The most popular strain, originated and improved by Luther Burbank. Colors run from the softest, most delicate pinks to rich, gaudy hues, and all have a wonderfully silky, lustrous finish. One of the prettiest center pieces I have seen was a dainty basket of pink Shirleys. Mixed. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.

**Tulip Poppy.** A magnificent species, flowers a vivid scarlet. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.



Shirley Poppy



(For description, see page 39)

## SHIRLEY POPPY, Special Mixed

An English grower has developed 15 distinct varieties of this class. I offer them in a special mixture, equal proportion. Pkt., 400 seeds, 10c.

## PERENNIAL POPPIES

**Iceland Poppies.** The shades range from pure white to deep orange scarlet, with petals beautifully crinkled like crushed satin. They come early and stay a long time. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 10c.

**Oriental Poppy.** A gorgeous flower for the perennial bed. It grows three to four feet high and bears immense scarlet blossoms, six to nine inches in diameter. Different shades of scarlet and orange, mixed. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz., 10c.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan., '09. "I never had finer Asters, Poppies, or Balsams than from your seed. I also had a fine bed of Salpiglossis, and the Four o'clocks were the best I ever raised."—DAVID F. AUSTIN.

The Violet's blue, the Rose is too.

See the Now Blue Rose, page 52.



## PRIMULA SINENSIS (Chinese Primrose)

Primula are easily raised from seed. See my "Culture of Flowers" for directions. They bloom year after year, but new plants always bloom more freely, and it is well to sow seed each year.

**Primula Fimbriata, Mixed.** Splendid mixture of new fringed varieties, including also my three named sorts. Pkt., 40 seeds, 7c.; half pkt., 20 seeds, 4c.

**Primula Fimbriata, Pink.** The most popular color. Pkt., 40 seeds 7c.

**Primula Fimbriata, Chiswick Red.** Pkt., 40 seeds, 7c.

**Primula Fimbriata, White.** Pkt., 40 seeds, 7c.

**Primula Forbesi, "Baby Primrose"**—A "cute" little plant, flowering in three months from seed and continuing to bloom for months. The flowers are small, of pleasing rose color, and are borne in clusters on ong, erect stems. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.

**Primula Obconica**—A distinct species, almost ever-blooming. The blossoms are white or lilac-tinted and are produced on long stems in large, showy clusters of from ten to fifteen flowers in a bunch. Pkt., 150 seeds, 5c.

**Hardy Primrose (Polyanthus)**—Low-growing hardy perennials (except in extreme North), including the English Primrose (yellow), so often commemorated in song and story, and other hardy sorts in mixed colors. Pkt., 5c.



## PYRETHRUM HYBRIDUM

A beautiful early-flowering hardy perennial. The foliage is finely cut and quite ornamental, the flowers are in vivid shades of rose and pink, and are remarkable for the length of time they remain perfect. Perfectly hardy and easily raised from seed. They come in time for Decoration and Children's Days and are splendid for all cut-flower purposes. Very showy and pretty, and entirely hardy anywhere, even in the farthest North. 2 feet. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.

## SCARLET RUNNER

The bean known as Scarlet Runner is highly ornamental as well as useful, and both in foliage and flower is as pretty as many of its more aristocratic neighbors. Pkt., 15 seeds, 4c.; oz., 10c.

## SENSITIVE PLANT

Cultivated for its curious habit of closing its leaves at the slightest touch. Children always enjoy it. Tender Annual. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4c.

## STOKESIA CYANEA (Cornflower Aster)

The scarcity of blue cut flowers makes this a valuable addition to the perennial border. The plant is of easy cultivation, growing from 18 to 24 inches high, in an open, sunny location. It bears freely large lavender-blue, Centaurea-like flowers from July until frost. One of the most desirable hardy perennials. Pkt., 25 seeds, 5c.





**SALPIGLOSSIS, Superblissimus**

A splendid, large-flowering strain of this popular flower. Its funnel-shaped blooms are borne in graceful clusters, in innumerable colors—yellow orange, crimson, bronze, lilac, blue, purple and almost black shades, the petals in each case being beautifully marbled and penciled. Annual, of easy cultivation. Once try it, and you will always want it in your garden. Mixed. Pkt., 400 seeds, 5c.

**Salpiglossis Collection.** An imported collection of six varieties, half packets, splendid for exhibition purposes. Price, 15c.

**NEW EARLY SALVIA, Zurich**

The earliest flowering and most dwarf of any of the *Salvias*, a splendid novelty, especially for Minnesota and other sections where the season is short. When the plant is only 3 inches high the brilliant scarlet flowers begin to appear, and continue through the season in great abundance. 1 foot. Pkt., 50 seeds, 10c.



Salpiglossis

Try the Famous

**WONDERBERRY**

My seed is grown by the originator, Luther Burbank. Pkt., 8c.



Salvia, Silver Spot

Not all the *Rosa Polyantha* seed is of this dwarf, early-flowering variety. It blooms the first season (though not attaining perfection until the second year. Pkt., 30 seeds, 6c.

**SALVIA SPLENDENS, (Scarlet Sage)**

**Salvia "Bonfire."** Also listed as "*Clara Bedman*." The plants form a symmetrical, oval bush about two and one-half feet high, with large spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers, not infrequently 200 to a plant. By far the best variety for bedding. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c. 1/4 oz. (about 750 seeds), 25c.

**Salvia, Fireball.** A new compact, early sort, with larger flowers than any other kind. It grows in a dense bush and blooms profusely, forming balls of flaming scarlet. Beginning to bloom the first of July, it is laden with flowers until severest frosts. 20 inches. Pkt., 50 seeds, 8c.

**Salvia, Silver Spot and Golden-Leaved, Mixed.** In the former the leaves are sprinkled with light sulphur or cream-colored spots (see cut), while in the latter the foliage is of a fine yellow shade with hardly a trace of green. Pkt., 50 seeds, 6c.

**Salvia, Special Mixed.** The above three varieties mixed, including also *Salvia Grandiflora*. Pkt., 50 seeds, 6c.; 1/4 oz., 25c.

**"BABY" ROSE**

*Rosa Polyantha Multiflora Nana*, or "*Little Midget*" Rose, is a charming little plant about 10 inches high, bearing clusters of minute roses only an inch across, double, semi-double, or sometimes single. The many-flowered clusters look like a mass of double







### TEN-WEEKS STOCKS

**Dwarf German Stocks.** A specially early large flowering strain. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.

**Giant Perfection Stocks.** Large-flowered, greatly improved varieties of the most cultivated are 3 or 4 times as large, brilliant shades. Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c. measuring 1½ inches in diameter. It

**Snowflake Stocks.** Large-flowering, is very full of spines, and the bright snowy white flowers. Also listed as "Princess glowing red fruits will hang on for Alice" or "Cut and Come Again." Pkt., 5c. months. 1 to 2 feet. Pkt., 20 seeds, 5c.

**Novelty Stocks.** There are many beautiful new varieties of Stocks, too many to list them all, so I give my customers a chance to try them in a mixture. This includes Beauty of Nice (pink), Blue Bells, Dazzler (glowing crimson), Oriole (yellow), Princess Alice (white), Queen Alexandra (rosy lilac), Splendora (violet blue), Winsome (light blue). Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c. Any variety separate, 10c.



### GIANT JERUSALEM CHERRY SOLANUM ACULEATISSIMUM

Something new for the winter window or conservatory. The grower says of it, "I consider this one of the handsomest ornamental plants I have come across." The plant is much like

the well-known *Solanum Capsicastrum*, or Jerusalem Cherry, but the bright scarlet fruits for which this is

ing, greatly improved varieties of the most cultivated are 3 or 4 times as large, brilliant shades. Mixed. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c. measuring 1½ inches in diameter. It

### SUNFLOWER

**Chrysanthemum.** Flowered. Magnificent flowers 4 to 6 inches in diameter, very double, with long, fringed petals. 5 to 6 feet. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4c.

**Double Mixed.** A choice mixture, containing the Mammoth Globosus *Fistulosus*, the *Chrysanthemum*-Flowered and several other sorts. Mixed. Pkt., 40 seeds, 4c.

**Single Mixed.** New types of the Stella, or "Cut and Come Again" Sunflower. The plants are branching and bushy and the flowers are like great yellow daisies. Also the Golden Nigger, long yellow petals, with black center. All fine for cutting, 3 to 5 ft. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

### SOLANUM SEAFORTHIANUM

A beautiful climber, with dark green foliage, lovely light blue, wistaria-like flowers, followed by showy scarlet seed berries. Pkt., 50 seeds, 7c.



*Chrysanthemum Sunflower*



**TRITOMA, Red Hot Poker Plant**

The **Flame Flower**. Fine for bedding or for the conservatory. A plant with gorgeous scarlet spikes, rivaling the canna in brilliancy and the gladiolus as a cut flower. They bloom from June till November, and are hardy with protection in most sections. New mixed hybrids. Pkt., 40 seeds, 8c.

**SWAINSONIA ALBA**

A pretty greenhouse plant, generally sold only by the florists, but it comes also from seed. It may be trained as a vine, or kept in bush form by picking back. The foliage is fern-like and the blossoms, pure milk-white, like miniature sweet peas, are borne in small clusters of fifteen to twenty-five in a bunch. Perennial. Pkt., 15 seeds, 8c.

**SMILAX**

No climbing plant surpasses the Smilax, not only for the graceful beauty of the vine but for its value in decoration. Pkt., 65 seeds, 4c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 15c.

**GIANT SNAPDRAGON**

One of the finest bedding plants, being constantly in bloom throught the summer. 1 to 1½ ft.

**Brilliant Scarlet.** White throat. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**New Pink Shades.** Rich rose, coral and salmon pink shades, very choice varieties. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**Queen of the North.** White bedding variety with small pale yellow spot. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**Vesuvius.** New and striking. Deep vivid orange or flame color. Pkt., 300 seeds, 5c.

**Giant Mixed.** A splendid mixture of these old-fashioned favorites, with extra large flowers in many brilliant shades, including those named above. 1½ feet. Pkt., 300 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

**Snapdragon Collection.** An imported collection of 10 choicest sorts. Half pkts., 15c.



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**GIANT SPIDER PLANT  
(CLEOME PUNGENS)**

Sometimes listed as **Electric Light Plant**. A tall, bushy annual, each branch crowned with a huge, showy cluster of white, or lilac flowers, which throw out long stamens curiously like spiders legs. This is a great improvement on the older sorts, and you should not fail to try it. Use it in clumps, in beds with tall decorative plants, or as a screen. Bees like it and hover about it all day. Blooms from July until frost. 3 to 5 feet. Pkt., 200 seeds, 6c.



## SWEET WILLIAM

**Sweet William, Black Beauty.** Rich dark crimson. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**Sweet William, Pink Beauties.** New pleasing shades, ranging from delicate pink to deeper mottled shades. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**Sweet William, Double Mixed.** Beautiful, large flowering varieties, solid, margined and auricula-eyed varying from white, lavender, pink, crimson to deepest velvety red. 1½ feet. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.; 2 pkts., 8c.

**Sweet William, Special Mixed.** The above and other choice varieties mixed. A splendid assortment. 1½ feet. Pkt., 200 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

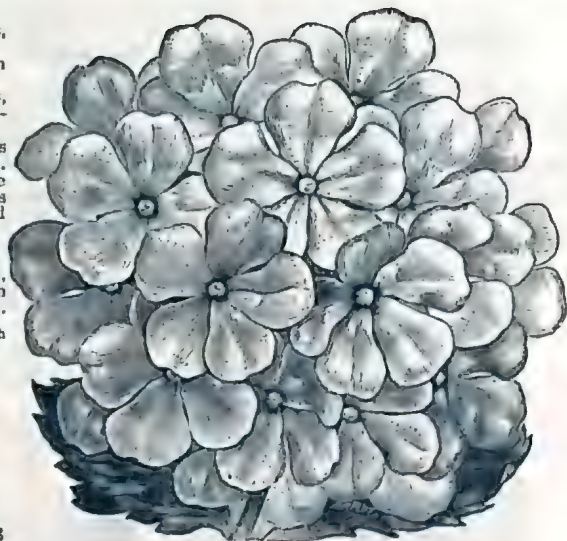
**New Annual Sweet William.** This is a cross between the Chinese Pinks and Sweet William, having the free and continuous blooming qualities of the former and hardness of the latter. It blooms the first season, and in color is deep, intense, velvety scarlet. 1 foot. Pkt., 75 seeds, 5c.

## SWEET ROCKET, *Hesperis Matronalis*

A hardy perennial bearing handsome clusters of white, lilac or purple, sweet-scented flowers. The name *Hesperis* means "evening" and was given because the blossoms are especially fragrant at night. Pkt., 125 seeds, 3c.

Mequon, Ct., Jan., '09. "Last year I had your seeds for the first time and was much pleased. The Asters, Phlox and Verbenas were the handsomest I ever saw."

Mrs. E. A. DOUGLAS.



See  
Page 1  
for  
Liberal  
Premiums

## FORDHOOK MAMMOTH VERBENA, Mixed

A good strain, with exceptionally large trusses of flowers whose individual florets are often as large as a silver quarter. This includes all my named varieties, which together with other desirable shades and markings gives a strain that I can warrant to be as fine as the highest priced mixtures of other seedsmen. Pkt., 125 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

**Mammoth Auricula-Flowered Verbena.** Large flowers, with distinct white eyes in the center of each floret. Mixed. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

**Mammoth Italian Striped Verbena.** Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

**Mammoth Pink Verbena.** Five pink shades. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

**Scarlet Defiance Verbena.** Beautiful scarlet. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

**Mammoth White Verbena.** Pure white. Pkt., 125 seeds, 5c.

## VERBENA VENOSA

A half-hardy perennial, constantly covered with bright purplish-blue flowers. Extensively used for bedding purposes in the Minneapolis and St. Paul parks. 1 foot. Pkt., 5c.



*Sweet William*



**VIOLET**

"Knowest thou what thoughts from Heaven the violet instils?" And so the Violet has ever stood as plant throwing up tall an emblem of innocence and purity. It is slow to stems surmounted by germinate, but when once established it is the first whorls of graceful grass-flower to greet one in the spring. Hardy Perennial. like leaves. It grows rapidly from seed. Pkt., 200 seeds, 5c.

**The Czar.** Blue. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.

**White Queen.** Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.

**Violets, Mixed.** White, blue. Pkt., 100 seeds, 5c.

**WALLFLOWER, Mixed**

An old-fashioned flower, always found in English and German gardens. If winters are not severe it lives over, blossoming profusely in the early spring, or out. The leaves are dark plants may be potted in August for winter flowering, and glossy, blossoms white. Extra large flowers, brilliant red and brown shades, single and double. Pkt., 50 seeds, 5c.



Violet

**UMBRELLA PLANT****VINCA**

A beautiful perennial which blooms the first summer, used either for the window or for bedding over. The leaves are dark and glossy, blossoms white or white with a crimson center, or all crimson. Very profuse bloomer, continuing from early summer until frost. 20 inches. Pkt., 150 seeds, 4c.

Northwood, N. D., Apr., '09. "I have used your seeds three years. Nasturtiums, Pansies, Poppies, Zinnias and many other annuals come in as interesting varieties of color and shape as I have ever seen."

MISS HILDA TANDBERG.

**Collection of Curled and Crested Zinnias.** Eight colors, half-packets, 20c.

**IMPROVED DWARF ZINNIA, Giant Flowering**

**Jacqueminot.** A dark, velvety, geranium-red, handsome for bedding. See cover. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**Pink,** including salmon-rose and flesh Pink. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**Snowball.** A very double white. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**Yellow.** Lovely canary and other yellow shades. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**Improved Dwarf Mixed.** The above and other named varieties mixed, all giant-flowering. A splendid mixture. 1 1/2 feet. Pkt., 65 seeds, 4c.

**Zinnia, Curled and Crested.** The petals are curled and twisted, making graceful flowers in all the Zinnia shades. Pkt., 50 seeds, 4c.

**Liliput Zinnia, Scarlet.** An extra dwarf variety, which I especially recommend for bedding. The blossoms are small and very double, thickly covering the plants till late frosts. A mass of these with an edge of Little Gem Alyssum makes a showy and inexpensive bed. Try it. About 1 foot. Pkt., 65 seeds, 4c.

**ZINNIAS, Special Mixed**

A splendid mixture, including all the above sorts and the choice Zebra and other strains. Pkt., 65 seeds, 4c.; 2 pkts., 7c.

**Collection of Improved, Giant-Flowering Zinnias.** Eight colors, separate, half-packets, 20c.







### "HIT OR MISS" FLOWER GARDEN

This is made up of what I have left over of last year's seeds that upon testing were found to germinate, together with a large quantity of fresh seed. It makes a much nicer mixture than I could afford to make if seeds were fresh, and so large a proportion of the seed will grow you will be surprised and delighted with the wonderful array of blooms from a single packet. Sift out the fine seed so that it may be planted under different conditions from the coarser seed. Extra large packet; 4c.; oz., 10c.

## LAWN GRASS SEED

**MY LAWN GRASS MIXTURE**, and I make but one, is the very best that can be made. If directions are followed it will give a soft, close sod of uniform texture and rich emerald green.

**Lawn Grass, Best Grade.** 1 pt., 20c., postpaid; 1 qt., 35c., postpaid; 2 qts., 60c., postpaid; 1 pk., (5 lbs.), \$1.25, by express (at buyer's expense); 1 bu., (20 lbs.), \$4.50, by express at buyer's expense. If ordered by freight, add 25 cents for cartage.

**Shady Place Lawn Grass.** A mixture especially adapted for sowing under trees and other shady places. 1 qt., 35c., postpaid; 2 qts., 60c., postpaid; 1 pk., \$1.50 (by express at buyer's expense).

**White Clover, Sterling Grade.** 1 oz., 7c.; 1 lb., 15c.; 1 lb., 45c., all postpaid.

**How to Make a Good Lawn** See directions in "Culture of Flowers," page 22.

**To Renovate a Poor Lawn Sod.** Cut lines six inches apart, and mellow to a depth of three inches. Sow seed and cover lightly with some of the mellow dirt.

### A SHOWY BED FOR TEN CENTS

Have a round or long bed of *Jaqueminet Zinnias*, (Pkt., 4c. See cover illustration), bordered with *Perilla Nauckianensis*, (2 pkts., 5c. See page 37). Set *Zinnias* 18 inches apart, and *Perillas* 10 inches, keeping the latter pinched back to 10 inches in height. This will be almost as showy as a bed of *Geraniums* and *Coleus* that costs many times more.

## WONDERBERRY

No creation of recent years has caused more wide-spread comment than Luther Burbank's famous Wonderberry. It is a cross between a blueberry, the fruit of which is something like a blueberry, only very much larger and blacker. It comes into bearing within 3 or 4 months from seed sowing, and the berries are produced in abundance until frost. These may be used for the table, for pies or for canning. From the first year's trial various reports are given. Some pronounce it of little or no value, others cannot commend it enough. Several tried it in this section and, as far as my inquiries go, speak highly of it. At any rate, those who did not venture last year, or who were deterred because of the high price of the seed, may wish to take advantage of this opportunity to try my seed, which I have obtained from Mr. Burbank himself, and decide for themselves whether, as claimed, it is to be of "great importance to the human race and to cause Luther Burbank's name to live forever." Seed may be started in April, same as tomatoes, transplanting at proper time, or may be sown in the ground in May. Set plants 2 feet apart each way. They are of spreading habit, but not tall-growing. Pkt., 8c.; 2 pkts., 14c.



BEAUTIFUL  
and FRAGRANT

## CINNAMON VINES

Beautiful Leaves, Dainty Flowers,  
Exquisite Perfumes, Grows in  
Shade or Sun—Wet or Dry—  
No Insects Ever Trouble  
—No Winter Harms.

**The Cinnamon Vine.** A charming climber that will quickly surround your Arbor, window or veranda with a wonderful profusion of vines covered with handsome, glossy, heart-shaped leaves and sweet scented flowers. Perfectly hardy, thriving everywhere. The vines run 25 to 40 feet, while its many clusters of delicate white flowers emit a delicious fragrance. See my "Culture of Flowers" for directions. Two or three roots planted on each side of a door or window will quickly cover it. For the arbor or porch, the roots should be one foot apart.

**Extra Quality—Sure to grow. Price,** 1 strong root, 5c.; 3 roots, 12c.; 6 roots, 21c.; 12 roots, 40c.; all postpaid.



# SELECT BULB LIST

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

**Bulb Department.** This includes pages 48, 49 and 50, and is entirely separate from Seed and Plant departments. Make out Bulb orders in a separate list to avoid danger of mistakes.

**Extra Premiums.** To encourage larger bulb orders, we offer premiums with every order of 25c. or more, in addition to premiums offered on page 1. See offer below.

**Postpaid.** All bulbs are sent postpaid. Bulbs may be ordered to June 1, but we reserve the right, in late orders, to substitute other equally good varieties.

**Cannas** are dormant roots, but late orders will be filled with started plants, if desired, or if dormant stock runs short. All Dahlias are double.

**Deliveries** to Southern and Pacific Coast points will be made soon after receipt of order; to Central and Northern states as soon as weather permits. After April 10, it is usually safe to mail bulbs anywhere in the United States. Do not worry if there is some delay. It will take from one to two weeks for an order to reach you.

## SPECIAL PREMIUMS FOR BULB ORDERS

These premiums do not apply to anything except the bulbs listed on pages 48, 49 and 50, and to the Special Bulb Offer on Bargain Sheet. To increase our bulb trade we offer free with every 25c. worth of bulbs ordered, as follows:

For each 25c. ordered, 1 choice Gladiolus.  
For each 50c. ordered, 1 Caladium, Esculentum Alba, in addition to the above.  
For each \$2.00 ordered, 1 new Canna, Carrol F. Read, worth 50c., in addition to the above.  
For each \$5.00 ordered, 1 new dwarf Canna, Britta, worth 75c., in addition to the above.  
For illustration, should you order \$10.00 worth of bulbs, you would get free  
40 Choice Gladioli, worth.....\$1.33  
20 Caladiums, Esculentum Alba. 1.67  
8 Cannas, Carrol F. Read..... 2.50  
2 Cannas, Britta..... 1.50  
Total, \$7.00 free

## NEW AND RARE CANNAS

**ORCHID TYPE.** The 4 for 60c.

**King Humbert.** Best of the Orchid class; very wide, bronze leaves, large flowers of bright orange scarlet, streaked with crimson. 20c.; 12 for \$2.00.

**Indiana.** Tall, with large orange flowers; one of the very best. 15c.; 12 for \$1.50.

**Louisiana.** A new favorite; large bright scarlet flowers. 15c.; 12 for \$1.50.

**Wyoming.** Purple-bronze foliage, large orange flowers. 15c.; 12 for \$1.50.

**CROZY TYPE.** The 13 for \$2.50.

**Britta.** A fine new dwarf pink Canna first offered this year, has very distinct bright green leaves with rounded ends, different from all other kinds. 75c. each; 3 for \$2.00.

**Carrol F. Read.** A new semi-bronze, with large bright red flowers that are very attractive. One of the most constant and profuse bloomers. Will be a general favorite as soon as known. 50c. each; 3 for \$1.25.

**Marvel.** This is well named for it is indeed a marvel. The large scarlet flowers seem to be illumined by the golden color of the back of each petal that shines thru and gives a combination of color seldom seen in any flower 25c. each; 3 for 60c.

**Henry George.** Best dwarf bedding Canna to date; early to bloom and constantly at it. A bright warm crimson, greatly admired. 20c. each; 3 for 50c.

**Crown of Gold.** A large golden yellow, very attractive. 5 to 6 feet.

**Golden Dawn.** Another fine yellow not as tall as the last and preferred by some on that account.

**Fairhope.** A fine medium high crimson variety.

**Moonlight.** Light cream often preferred to the so-called white sorts. A most rapid grower, making large clumps in a few weeks.

**Panache.** One of the best extra tall varieties, with large bright glowing crimson flowers.

**Prince of India.** With but one exception the best bright red dwarf bedder.

**Queen of Beauty.** The great \$1.00 Canna, the highest price ever paid for a Canna. The finest of all bright scarlets.

**R. Wallace.** Large-flowered, bright yellow. Fine.

**Telegraph.** A very good dwarf red bedder. The above nine kinds not priced are 15c. each; 3 for 40c.; 6 for 75c.

## BEST STANDARD CANNAS

Price, 10c. each; 12 for \$1.00. In lots of 100 (not less than ten of any one kind) by express, prepaid, to any express office in the U. S. for \$6.50.

## ORCHID-FLOWERED or ITALIAN TYPE

The 7 for 60c.

**Allemania.** Orange red, gold edge.  
**America.** Bronze foliage; beautiful shaded red flowers.

**Atlanta.** Large rich red flowers.  
**Austria.** Deep yellow, spotted in throat.  
**Burbank.** Bright yellow, red spots.  
**Partenope.** Tall growing, large red.  
**Pennsylvania.** Brilliant scarlet, very popular.

## CROZY-FLOWERED or FRENCH TYPE.

The 8 for 70c.

**Alsace.** White.  
**Chas. Henderson.** Bright crimson.  
**Cornet.** Canary yellow.  
**Florence Vaughan.** Bright yellow, spotted red.  
**Eldorado.** Dwarf yellow spotted with red.  
**Louise.** Very fine bright pink.  
**L. Patry.** Salmon pink fading to bright pink.  
**Shenandoah.** Bronze foliage, pink flowers.

**Don't fail to take advantage of the exceedingly liberal bulb premiums.** You need not ask for them; they will be sent **anyhow** when your order for bulbs is filled. But please notice that they apply only to pages 48, 49 and 50, and do not ask for them with plant or seed orders. See page 1 for regular premium list.



## BULBS—Continued

### STANDARD CANNAS—Continued

#### LARGE-LEAVED or FOLIAGE TYPE.

The 5 for 40c.

**Grand Rouge.** 6 feet. An old standard, reddish bronze foliage with small red flowers.

**King of Bronzes.** 7 to 8 feet. Very broad rounded leaves of bronze color.

**Majestic.** 8 feet. Foliage a bluish green, lined and ribbed with bronze; blooms only of medium size, but in large clusters of a brilliant red.

**Musafella.** 6 feet. One of the largest leaved; has dark green leaves edged with narrow border of bronze.

**Royal Bronze.** 7 to 8 feet. A new and very distinct type, darkest bronze of all, with long sword-like leaves of a rich pulplish shade; good-sized, dark crimson flowers.

The entire 20 in the standard list, one of each for \$1.60; 3 of each for \$4.50; 6 of each for \$8.50; 12 of each for \$15.00.

One each of all the Cannas listed this year, 37 kinds, including all the new ones, for \$4.25; 3 of each for \$12.00.

### CANNA BEDS

Many wish to plant round or long beds of Cannas and like to get suggestions as to best combinations for show and contrasts of colors.

For Round Beds we recommend 30 plants for a 6-foot bed set 20 inches apart; 3 of one kind grouped in the center, surrounded with 10 of another kind not quite as tall, with an outside row of 17 of another kind still shorter. For any one wanting a nice round bed who will leave the choice to us we will pack a selection that will please and will ask only \$2.00 for the 30 roots; 2 beds for \$3.75; 3 for \$5.50. Each bed made up of different kinds if desired.

**Long Beds.** These will be made up of 9 tall ones of one kind for back row, and 9 shorter ones of contrasting colors for front row, our selection for \$1.20; 2 beds for \$2.10; 3 beds for \$3.00.

### CALADIUM or ELEPHANT EARS

**Caladium Esculentum.** This old favorite is easily grown and should be found in every garden. With high fertilizing and plenty of water they can grow to enormous size. Large bulbs, 20c. each; 12 for \$2.00; medium size, 15c. each, 12 for \$1.50; small, 10c. each, 12 for \$1.00.

**Caladium Esculentum Alba.** This grand new variety, first offered last year, has many points of merit to recommend it. Bulbs are not as large as are those of the old kind, but they produce many more leaves, and with high culture make a most magnificent display. As the bulbs increase so much faster than the old kind we are enabled to offer it this year at the same prices as above.

### DAHLIAS

#### TEN FINE SHOW DAHLIAS

15c. each; 3 for 40c. The 10 for \$1.20.

**A. D. Lavoni.** Soft pink, very fine.

**Arabella.** Sulphur and pink, edged white

**Fascination.** Rose pink, sometimes striped white.

**Imperial.** Deep purplish maroon, fine.

**Mrs. Dexter.** Deep salmon, very fine.

**Meteor.** Very large bright red.

**Orator.** Salmon buff, large and full.

**Queen Victoria.** Best yellow Show.

**Robert Broomfield.** Pure white.

**White Bedder.** Dwarf white, fine bedder.

#### EIGHT FINE CACTUS DAHLIAS

15c. each; 3 for 40c. The 8 for \$1.00.

**Beatrice.** Pale rose, large and fine.

**Dr. Jameson.** Fine deep crimson.

**Island Queen.** Light mauve.

**Kriemhilde.** Brilliant pink, white center.

**Mrs. Chas. Turner.** Clear soft yellow.

**Standard Bearer.** Rich fiery scarlet.

**Ambassador.** Pure white, very choice.

**Winsome.** Creamy white, incurved petals

#### EIGHT FINE DECORATIVE DAHLIAS

15c. each; 3 for 40c. The 8 for \$1.00.

**C. W. Bruton.** Large, bright yellow.

**Black Prince.** Dark maroon, almost black.

**Henry Patrick.** Pure white, very large.

**Maid of Kent.** Cherry red, tipped white.  
**Miss Barry.** Deep purple.  
**Mrs. Winter.** Pure snow white.  
**Sylvia.** A grand pink, light center.  
**Wm. Agnew.** Bright red.

#### EIGHT FINE POMPON DAHLIAS.

15c. each; 3 for 40c. The 8 for \$1.00.

**Ariel.** Deep orange buff.

**Bobby.** Deep plum color.

**Darkness.** Dark maroon.

**Mabel.** Salmon pink, fine.

**Pure Love.** Pure lilac, extra fine form.

**Prince Charming.** Cream tipped purple.

**Snowclad.** Small white.

**Vivid.** Bright scarlet, extra fine.

One each of the entire collection of 34 Fine Dahlias for \$4.00.

### GLADIOLI

Our Gladiolus List is better than ever before as we have added several new kinds and reduced some of the prices.

#### FIFTEEN FINE GLADIOLI.

Price, 5c. each; 6 for 25c. The 15 for 60c.

**Augusta.** White, slightly suffused purple.

**Brenchleyensis.** Brilliant vermilion.

**Ceres.** Fine white with deep violet blotch.

**Columbia.** Orange scarlet, blotched with bluish purple.

**De Lamarck.** Large cherry color, light center.

**Easter.** White, lemon tint, crimson blotch.

**Enfant De Nancy.** Dark crimson.

**F. Bergman.** Orange pink, with carmine stains.

**Florida.** Deep dark red, very early.

**Incendary.** Vermilion, rose color throat

**Jessie.** Velvety red, very early.

**May.** Fine white, splashed carmine pink

**Marie Lemoine.** Creamy salmon, maroon blotch.

**Prolific Pink.** Extra good pink.

**"1909"** Brightest red, pure white blotch.

Watertown, N. Y., Feb., 09. "I wish to thank you for the pleasure I had from your Sweet Peas. They were the handsomest I ever had, and I can say the same of your Imperial Aster mixture."—Mrs. C. H. TUNN.



## BULBS—Continued

## GLADIOLI—Continued

## FIFTEEN CHOICE GLADIOLI.

Price, 8c. each; 6 for 50c. The 15 for \$1.10.

**Admiral Pierre.** Large flowers, dark carmine red, lower petals clouded maroon purple.

**Ajax.** Beautifully striped.

**Edison.** Beautiful combination of many colors.

**Glory of Brightwood.** Scarlet, lemon throat.

**John Bull.** White, sulphur tint, dark blotch.

**Keteler.** Salmon scarlet, with crimson and light yellow throat.

**Lamar.** Salmon, with crimson and yellow spots.

**Lafayette.** Large yellowish salmon; crimson blotches.

**Lamartine.** Rosy flesh, with large maroon blotch.

**M. de Levisque.** Dark crimson.

**Mrs. Francis King.** Light scarlet; crimson blotches.

**Nydia.** Blush pink, large orange throat.

**Reine Blanche.** Pure white, dark carmine blotch.

**Vashti.** Creamy white, carmine blotches.

**Wm. Falconer.** Large, clear light pink. The 36 above named kinds for \$1.50; 6 of each for \$8.70. 12 of each for \$17.00.

## SIX BEST GLADIOLI.

The 6 for 90c.

**America.** Large, open, round flower, soft lavender pink, 12c.

**Canary Bird.** Pure yellow, very choice, 15c.

**Dr. Parkhurst.** Dark brilliant red, white mottled throat, 20c.

**Mrs. Beecher.** Deep rosy crimson, white throat, 12c.

**Princes.** Rich crimson, broad blotch on lower petals, 20c.

**Splendor.** Beautiful rose color, magenta stains, 15c.

## GLADIOLUS MIXTURES

**Good Mixed.** A fine strain of many colors. Price 1st size, 12 for 30c.; 45 for \$1.00; 100 for \$2.10; 2nd size, 12 for 20c.; 70 for \$1.00; 100 for \$1.40.

**Choice Mixed.** This mixture is big value, contains some very fine kinds and is sure to please.

Price, 1st size, 12 for 45c.; 30 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.15; 2nd size, 12 for 30c.; 50 for \$1.00; 100 for \$1.90.

**Best of all Mixed.** We don't think you can match this mixture for the same money anywhere. 12 for 55c.; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75.

## GLADIOLI IN COLOR

Blues and Purples, 12 for 75c.

Orange and Yellow, 12 for 60c.

Pink and Rose, 12 for 40c.

Scarlet and Red, 12 for 35c.

Striped and Variegated, 12 for 50c.

White and Light, 12 for 40c.

24 bulbs, 4 each of the 6-color mixtures, for \$1.15.

## TUBEROSE

**Dwarf Pearl.** Favorite double sort.

**Single White.** Preferred by many to the double.

**Variegated.** Leaves striped with white, very attractive; flower same as Single White. Large heavy bulbs, 5c. each; 6 for 28c.; 12 for 55c. Medium-sized bulbs, 3c. each; 6 for 16c.; 12 for 30c.

## MISCELLANEOUS BULBS OF MERIT

**Ismene Calathina.** A grand summer flowering bulb, producing large amaryllis-like, pure white, fragrant blossom from June to September. Bulbs can be taken up in October and after a few weeks rest, potted and flowered in the house in winter, or kept over to be planted out in spring again; 25c.

**Amaryllis Johnsoni.** An old favorite, with rich crimson flowers, each petal having a white stripe thru the center. 30c. each.

**Achimenes.** A beautiful little plant of easy culture, well adapted for window boxes, pot culture and for bordering; good sized flowers of the prettiest shades of blue. The bulbs should be planted soon after they are received, in a moderately warm place. They grow rapidly and increase fast. Price 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Arundo Donax Variegata.** The giant reed with beautifully striped leaves, attain a height of 12 feet, with large plumes. 15c. each; 3 for 40c.

**Hedychium, or Butterfly Lily.** Grows best on low, damp ground. Roots and plant much like Cannas, but the leaves are narrower and the flowers are produced from a close head, blooming about four o'clock p. m. The pure white flowers look much like white butterflies and are very fragrant. If kept in the house in a growing state it blooms continuously. 20c. each; 3 for 50c.

**Xanthosoma Marshalli.** Very quick growing, medium-size, green leaves on dark stems. More stately than the common Caladiums. Strong tubers or plants, 20c. each; 3 for 50c.

**Xanthosoma Robustum, or New Century-flowering Caladium.** Leaves light green, very large; flowers fragrant. A fine thing. 20c. each; 3 for 50c.

**Xanthosoma Sagittifolium.** Plant is vigorous grower; leaves light green, beautiful for bedding; edible roots excellent for culinary purposes. Price, 20c. each; 3 for 50c.

**Zephyranthes, or Fairy Lily.** Much like an Amaryllis, but smaller. Of the easiest culture and very beautiful. Three colors, White, Pink and Versicolor. Either color, 6c. each; 3 for 15c.; 12 for 50c.

**Special Bargain offer.** One bulb each of the above, 11 in all, \$1.50; 3 bulbs of each, \$4.25.

**Special offer.** 1 bulb each of 123 named bulbs listed on pages 48, 49 and 50 for \$11.00.

When you send your order this spring if you will ask for our special list of Peonies, Iris and Phlox, for next fall, it will be sent you when issued. These plants do best set in the fall.



# SELECT PLANT LIST

## BY MAIL POSTPAID

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

All Plant Orders will be filled as early in the spring as it is safe, generally not before March 1, and you may be sure of receiving fresh, thrifty stock.

All Shrubs, Perennials and Climbing Plants are of one year's growth, thrifty and well rooted. These are sent dormant, that is, before they sprout, and cannot be sent any later than about April 15.

Roses and other plants are well established plants from 2½-in. pots. Roses, Carnations, Crysanthemums, Coleus and Decorative plants may be sent up to about June 1.

I cannot supply any plant not in the following list.

Combination Prices not allowed on any combinations except as given.

I guarantee all plants to reach you in good condition. Any complaints must be made within a week thereafter.

## CLIMBING ROSES

### RAMBLER QUINTETTE OF ROSES, 54c

The Rambler Roses have so many valuable characteristics that they may easily be classed as the finest of all climbing roses. They are very hardy, grow rapidly and, as they bloom somewhat late, they help to prolong the rose season. Give them plenty of sun and they will produce a great wealth and beauty of bloom. The cut on this page shows the general type for all of this class.

**Aglala** (Yellow Rambler). Not so hardy as some, but, it withstands, without protection, a continued temperature of zero, or two or three degrees below. Bright lemon yellow. (See letter on this page.) Price, 10c.; 3 for 25c.

**Crimson Rambler**. The original Rambler. Price, 10c.; 3 for 25c.

**Lady Gay**. Beautiful rose-pink flowers of good size, very double and borne in immense clusters. A post or an arch or a veranda covered with this rose will excite great admiration and surprise. Price, 12c.; 3 for 30c.

**Tausendschon** (Thousand Beauties). A beautiful novelty, surpassing all flowers in this section in growth, foliage and beauty and quantity of bloom. Color lovely soft pink, changing to rosy carmine. Very hardy; in bloom from June to the end of July. Price, 15c.; 3 for 35c.

**Thalia** (White Rambler). Immense clusters of fragrant white roses. Price, 10c.; 3 for 25c. These Five Hardy Climbing Roses for 54c.

### THREE OTHER CLIMBING ROSES

Price, 10c. each; 3 for 25c.

**Dorothy Perkins**. Of the Rambler habit, with beautiful shell-pink flowers, remarkable for hardiness and rapidity of growth. The flowers are borne in loose clusters of from 30 to 40 in a truss, and are sweetly scented.

**Baltimore Belle**. Pale blush, produced in large clusters.

**Queen of the Prairie**. Bright pink, very double.

Peoria, 1909. "My Yellow Rambler has grown to the top and covered the tower of our house. It is the finest in the city."—Mrs. E. NEVILL



*Tausendschon or Thousand Beauties*

## The "Triplets" Collection of Roses

### THESE THREE BABY ROSES FOR 35 CENTS

**Baby Rambler**, crimson, a superb rose for pot culture, or for bedding. In pots or in the ground, if kept in growing condition, it is almost never without blooms. Outside it is perfectly hardy. Price, 12c.; 2 for 20c.

**Baby Dorothy**. Rose-pink in color, similar to Dorothy Perkins. Perfectly hardy, blooming from early spring to late fall. Price, 15c.

**White Baby Rambler** (True). The same as the above in habit of growth and freedom of bloom. Price, 15c.



## TWO NEW HARDY CLIMBING ROSES

**Rose, Flower of Fairfield, or Everblooming Crimson Rambler.** Long experimenting to produce a climbing perpetual rose has resulted in this new Rose, Flower of Fairfield. It commences to flower in the spring or early summer, and produces repeated crops of bloom until late fall. It is a sport from Crimson Rambler, is of the same habit and color, tho perhaps a shade more brilliant and with greater resisting power to the sun. Price, 16c.

**Velichenblau, or Violet-blue Rose.** The newest and most novel of all roses, the result also of many years of effort by expert rose growers. It blooms in large clusters, like the Ramblers. Upon first opening the color is a sort of rose, but soon changes to a steel blue, like that of the early violets. It is a strong grower, very hardy and has not been troubled by mildew. Price, 16c. These two new Hardy Climbing Roses for 30c.

## EVERBLOOMING BEDDING ROSES

These are the House, or Tea Roses. They bloom the first year, and many are hardy enough with protection to live out over winter. South of latitude 40 degrees all are hardy.

Price, 10c. each; 3 for 28c.; 6 for 50c.

**Bridesmaid.** A popular pink tea rose.

**Caroline Marneise.** An absolutely hardy rose, always in flower. Flowers pure white with the least tinge of pink.

**Catherine Mermet.** Shining pink, buds especially beautiful.

**Clothilde Soupert.** Color a French white, deepening to a rosy blush. Profuse bloomer, hardy for garden, or beautiful for potting.

**La France.** Queen of all the pink teas.

**Marion Dinglee.** Deep crimson, the darkest tea rose.

**Meteor.** Rich dark, velvety crimson.

**Princess Bonnie.** Rich crimson, has no superior.

**Perle de Jardines.** The most popular yellow.

**Miss Kate Moulton.** Beautiful light pink, with heavy foliage like American beauty. Splendid for the house or garden.

**Maman Cochet.** A queen among roses. Flowers very large, rich coral pink shaded rosy crimson. Immense bloomer and hardy.

**Madam Hoste.** Canary yellow, flushed with rose.

## COLLECTIONS OF EVERBLOOMING BEDDING ROSES

In ordering give simply the name of collection wanted. These may be had separately at prices for everblooming roses given above.

**La France Collection.** One each of Duchess of Albany, red; La France; Champion of the World, deep pink, and Princess Bonnie. Four roses for 33c.

**The International Collection.** Etoile de France, velvety crimson; Etoile Lyon, golden yellow; Gruss au Teplitz, new red from Germany, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, white; Killarney, rosy pink, Wellesley, pink. Six roses for 50c.

**The Wedding Bells Collection.** The Bride, white; Bridesmaid, pink; Richmond, dark red. Three roses for 28c.

**Soupert Collection.** Clothilde Soupert (blush white), Pink Soupert and Yellow Soupert (Moselle). Three roses for 28c.

## HARDY HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

Roses of this class are thoroughly hardy and should be planted in open ground. When established they bloom in June and July, and at intervals the balance of the season. The quantity and size of the blooms will be greatly increased by severe pruning each spring. Cut out rough and scraggly wood and cut other shoots back, leaving only two or three eyes to grow. Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.; 6 for 50c.

**Alfred Colomb.** Carmine crimson. Large and free flowering. American Beauty. Immense crimson buds and flowers.

**Anne de Diesbach.** Brilliant shell pink, very large.

**Frau Karl Druschki.** (White American Beauty). A magnificent new rose, without doubt the finest new rose offered.

**Gen. Jacqueminot.** The grand old "Jack" Rose. Dark red.

**Marshall P. Wilder.** Bright scarlet crimson, very fragrant.

**Mme. Gabriel Luizet.** One of the most beautiful of all roses. Exquisite shade of clear coral rose.

**Mme. Plantier.** Pure white, profuse bloomer. An "iron clad" in hardness and splendid for cemetery planting.

**Magna Charta.** Extra hardy, large and double; clear rosy red.

**Mrs. John Laing.** Constant blooming, very hardy, bright pink.

**Paul Neyron.** Dark pink. None larger or finer.

**Prince Camille de Rohan.** The nearest black.

## COLLECTIONS OF HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

In ordering give simply the name of collection wanted. These may be had separately at prices for perpetual roses given above.

**"Twentieth Century" Collection.** Five magnificent new roses. Olio, Frau Karl Druschki (White American Beauty), Marchioness of Lorne, Margaret Dickson and Mrs. Sharrman Crawford, ranging in color from pure white through flesh color, rosy pink and deep pink to bright crimson. Price, 50c.

**Collection of Four Best Red H. P. Roses.** Alfred Colomb Gen. Jacqueminot, Gen. Washington, Ulrich Brunner. Price, 40c.

**Collection of Four Best Pink H. P. Roses.** Anne de Diesbach, Madame Gabriel Luizet, Magna Charta, Mrs. John Laing. Price, 40c.

**"In Remembrance" Collection.** Coquette des Alps, Coquette des Blanchés and Madam Plantier. A splendid collection of white H. P. Roses for cemetery planting. Price, 30c.

**The Northland Home Collection.** Sixteen handsome hardy roses, 6 red, 6 pink, 1 striped, 3 white for \$1.50.

## MOSS ROSES

**Blanch Moreau,** pure white; **Crimson Globe,** fine deep crimson; **Princess Adelaide,** bright rosy pink. Price, 15c. each; three (one of each) for 40c.

## SPECIAL OFFER

1 2-yr. Dorothy Perkins, 1 2-yr. Crimson Rambler

Price, 30 cts. each; the 2 for 60 cts.

Orders for this offer not accepted after May 1st.



## CLEMATIS

Orders should be received by April 15th.

Price, 14c.; any 3 for 35c.; the 7 for 80c.

**Henryll.** Pure white, blooming constantly during the summer.

**Jackmanni.** The most popular sort. Rich, velvety violet blue.

**Madam Edouard Andre.** Nearest approach to a bright red.

**Madam Baron Veillard.** Lovely satin pink flowers.

**Paniculata.** There is no more beautiful or valuable hardy climbing vine. The flowers are small, pure white, borne in great masses or clusters on long stems. Blooms in August and September when most other vines have ceased. It is like the orange blossom in bud and magnolia in fragrance. Hardy as an oak.

**Duchess of Edinburg.** Double white, very free blooming.

**Ramona.** Lavender blue; flowers often nine inches across.

## HARDY CLIMBING VINES

Orders should be received by April 15th at the latest.

**Ampelopsis Veitchi.** (Boston Ivy). A splendid climber where heavy foliage is desired. It clings to stone work, brick or wood by its own tendrils. 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**English Ivy.** An evergreen vine. 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Chinese Honeysuckle.** Foliage reddish green, and flower buds reddish, expanding to creamy white flowers.

**Hall's Japan Honeysuckle.** Pure white flowers, changing to yellow. Blooms from July to November.

**Monthly Fragrant Honeysuckle.** (Belgian or Dutch Honeysuckle). Flowers very fragrant, red outside, buff within.

**Scarlet Trumpet Honeysuckle.** Bright red. Trumpet-shaped flowers. Rapid grower, in bloom all summer.

Price of Honeysuckles, 12c. each; the four for 40c.

**Moonflower.** Beautiful snow-white flowers, sweetly scented. (See p. 35), 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Passion Flower.** Makes a fine covering for porches. Hardy to latitude 10 degrees, but farther north roots should be kept in the cellar. 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Chinese Wistaria, Purple.** 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Chinese Wistaria, White.** 16c. each; 3 for 45c. One of each color 25c.

## BEDDING AND HOUSE PLANTS

### ABUTILONS

Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Arthur Belsham.** Large red flowers with veins of darker coloring. Tall, erect grower and profuse bloomer.

**Golden Bells.** The best yellow ever introduced.

**Infanta Eulalie.** Low and compact, with large cup-shaped, satiny-pink flowers. Very satisfactory.

**Snowstorm.** Continuous bloomer; best white on the market.

**Souvenir de Bonn.** Deep green leaves, with creamy white border. Bright orange flowers, veined crimson. Most attractive of all.

## ASPARAGUS

**Asparagus Plumosus.** The Asparagus Fern, 12c.

**Asparagus Sprengeri.** 12c.; one of each, 20c.

## BEGONIAS

Price for the first five, 12c. each, or any 3 for 30c.

**Alba Picta.** Dwarf and compact, fine for bedding. Leaves a glossy green, spotted with silvery white; flowers white.

**Argentea Guttata.** Oblong, purplish green foliage, dashed with gray. Flowers pure white, borne in large clusters.

**President Carnot.** A very beautiful French variety. Leaves large, upper side deep bronzy green with delicate silvery spots, under side purplish red. Coral-red flowers in large pendant panicles.

**Sandersoni (Coral Begonia).** Bright scarlet flowers, in bloom summer and winter. Fine for vases, window boxes and bedding.

**Thurstonii.** Stately plant, with glossy foliage. The leaves underneath are a rich purplish red, with prominent veining, the upper side is bronzy green, shaded crimson and olive, with a peculiar metallic luster. Flowers, lovely shell pink.

**Rex, or Painted Leaf.** Large-leaved, grown for the rich and varied markings and remarkable beauty of foliage. There are many distinct sorts, and if an order calls for two or more, distinct varieties will be sent. Price, 15c. each; 3 for 40c.

## BOSTON SWORD FERN

No better decorative plant. A rapid grower, soon forming a large, graceful plant. Price, 12c. each.

## CARNATIONS

Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Boston Market.** By many considered the best white.

**Eldorado.** Light yellow, petals edged with band of light pink.

**Enchantress.** New. An exquisitely delicate shell-pink.

**G. H. Crane.** A flaming scarlet, the best grown.

**Lady Bountiful.** Pure white, of rich clove fragrance.

**Mrs. Thomas Lawson.** The original plant is said to have sold for \$30,000. Enormous flowers of a beautiful pink color.

**The Premier Quartet of Carnations.** One each of Boston Market, Eldorado, G. H. Crane, Mrs. Thomas Lawson, 40c.

## CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Black Hawk.** Largest and most beautiful crimson.

**Geo. W. Childs.** Reflexed, broad stiff petals of deep rich velvety crimson. The best red.

**Glory of the Pacific.** A beautiful early pink variety.

**Golden Wedding.** The grandest yellow ever offered.

**Ivory.** The best white. Unexcelled for cutting or pot culture.

**Major Bonnafion.** Soft clear yellow, an ideal flower.

**Timothy Eaton.** Immense gobular blooms of pure white.

**The Big Four Chrysanthemums.** One each of Black Hawk, Glory of the Pacific, Major Bonnafion, and Timothy Eaton, 40c.



**COLEUS**

Price, 12c. each; the 4 for 40c.

**Fire Brand.** Maroon, flamed with fiery red.**Golden Bedder.** Golden yellow, with center rib of pea green.**Queen of the West.** Variegated leaf, yellow, creamy white, carmine and maroon.**Verschafeltii.** Rich velvety crimson.**FUCHSIAS**

Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Black Prince.** Flowers waxy carmine. The finest single Fuchsia**Glorie des Marches.** The finest double white ever offered.**Gigantea** (single). Tube and sepals carmine; corolla a beautiful margenta.**Little Beauty.** (single). Bright red sepals; corolla rich purple.**Mrs. E. G. Hill** (double). Sepals reddish crimson; corolla white.**Phenomenal** (double). Sepals bright carmine; corolla violet.**Speciosa.** Orange scarlet corolla, white sepals and rose-carmine calyx; an ever-bloomer and one of the best in cultivation.**DOUBLE GERANIUMS**

Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Beaute Poitevine.** Beautiful salmon pink; flower clusters large; the greatest bloomer.**E. H. Trego.** An exquisite deep scarlet, by many considered the best scarlet for bedding.**Countess of Harcourt.** Pure snow white. A grand bedder.**Jean Vlaud.** Immense flowers of clear rosy pink; white eye.**Madame Bruant.** White, elegantly penciled with deep rose; florets edged and variegated with crimson lake. Both flowers and trusses are very large, and it is a constant bloomer.**S. A. Nutt.** The most popular dark red, used more in parks and public grounds than any other, and unexcelled as a pot plant.**Ivy-Leaved, Gallie.** Used for vases, etc.**Rose-Scented Geranium.** An old favorite, ivy-leaved Geranium, splendid for baskets, vases, etc.**CHINESE Hibiscus**

Price, 12c. each; the 3 for 30c.

**Double Crimson.** Immense flowers of richest crimson.**Peachblow.** Beautiful double flowers of clear, rich pink; good for the house or garden.**Versicolor.** Variegated; handsomely striped crimson, buff, rose and white.

**American Wonder Lemon, 15 Cents.**  
**Otaheite Orange, 15 Cents**  
**THE TWO FOR 25 CENTS**

**HELIOTROPES****Mad. Bruant.** Produces the largest truss of flowers of any variety. Dark, purple with large white eye. Price, 10c.**Snow Wreath.** Foliage very large truss large. White, slightly tinted with blue. Price 10c.**LANTANAS**

Price, 10c. each; the 5 for 45c.

**New Weeping Lantana.** Lovely pink flowers, borne in great clusters, hundreds at a time.**Alba Perfecta.** Pure snow white.**Comtesse de Biencourt.** Bright rose and yellow.**La Fleute d'Or** (Golden Rain). Dwarf, pure yellow flowers, great bloomers.**Michael Schmidt.** Brilliant yellow, passing into a purple vermilion.**KENTIA PALM**

The most graceful and ornamental palm and also the hardiest and easiest to grow. Price, 18c. each; 2 for 30c.

**DOUBLE PETUNIAS****Crimson, Pink, Maroon, White, Variegated.** Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.; one of each of the five colors for 50c.**SALVIA SPLENDENS** (Scarlet Sage)

One of the finest bedding plants, completely covered all summer to late frosts with long spikes of dazzling scarlet. Price, 10c. each; 3 for 25c.

**UMBRELLA PLANT**

A handsome pot plant. 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**HARDY SHRUBS**

Orders for Hardy Shrubs should reach me by April 15.

**ALTHEA** (Rose of Sharon)Pretty shrubs of easy cultivation, bearing flowers similar to the double hollyhock, to which family it belongs. **Double Red, Double Purple, or Double White.** Each, 12c.; one of each for 30c. (Not reliable in Minnesota).

**The "Triplets" Collection**  
**THREE BABY ROSES for 35 Cts.**  
**SEE PAGE 51**



Kentia Palm



## HARDY HYDRANGEA

**Paniculata Grandiflora.** One of the finest hardy shrubs ever introduced, not excelled in showiness by any other shrub in cultivation. Price, 10c.; 3 for 27c.

**Everblooming Snowball Hydrangea.** The flower is pure white, borne in immense panicles lasting from June to September. No hardy shrub introduced in years has such hearty endorsement as this new Ever-blooming Hydrangea. Price, 18c. 3 for 50c.

## HOUSE HYDRANGEA

**Otatska.** Flowers pink, in immense heads. Price, 16c.  
**Thomas Hogg.** Pure white. Quite as hardy as the garden sorts. Price, 16c.

**Japanica Rosea.** New. A fine, rich pink that does not fade. Foliage dark green, with no tinge of yellow. Price, 25c. The three varieties for 50c.

## SNOWBALL

**Japan Snowball.** (V. Plicatum.) King of all hardy flowering shrubs. Price, 12c.

**Common Snowball.** (V. Opulus.) Price, 12c.  
The two for 20c.

## SPIREA

Price, (except as noted) 12c. each; the five for 50c.  
**Anthony Waterer.** A new Dwarf Crimson Spirea, outshining all others in brilliancy of color. Blooms thruout the summer and fall, bearing large flat clusters of lovely crimson flowers. Price, 15c.; 3 for 35c.

**Bumalda.** Dwarf, bearing rose-colored flowers.  
**Callosa Alba.** Dwarf, white-flowering; blooms in July and August.

**Frunifolia.** Double white; flowers borne the entire length of the branches.

**Van Houttei.** The popular Bridal Wreath Spirea.

## SYRINGA

Price, 12c.; 2 for 20c.  
**Syringa, Garland.** Flowers pure white and highly scented.  
**Syringa, Golden.** Beautiful golden yellow foliage.

## TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE

Price, 12c.; 2 for 20c.  
**Red Tartarian Honeysuckle.** Well known and popular shrub.  
**White Tartarian Honeysuckle.** Blossoms white.

## WEIGELIA

Price, 12c. each; the 4 for 40c.  
**Candida.** Snow white flowers, borne in June and July.  
**Eva Rathke.** An attractive new variety, with a profusion of very deep, rich crimson flowers.  
**Rosea.** Large rose-colored flowers, covering the whole plant.  
**Variegated.** Deep green leaves, broadly margined with white.

## HARDY PERENNIALS

Orders for hardy perennials should be received by April 15th, although in some seasons stock can be supplied up to May 1st.

### HARDY PERENNIAL PHLOX

Price, 15c. each; 3 for 40c.; 12 for \$1.50.

Orders must be received not later than May 1st.

**August Riviere.** Fine bright red.

**Coccolnea.** Glowing scarlet.

**Coquette.** White with crimson eye.

**Cross of Honor.** White with band of rosy hue in center of each petal.

**Edgar Quinet.** Rosy Amaranth.

**Eclairleur.** Reddish and carmine with darker eye.

**Isabey.** Orange salmon; center purplish crimson.

**Lothair.** Soft carmine pink; rosy eye.

**Madam Bezanon.** A Splendid deep crimson.

**Pantheon.** Fine deep salmon rose.

**The Queen.** Pure white.

### OTHER HARDY PERENNIALS

**Bleeding Heart** (Dicentra Spectabilis), 15c. each; 3 for 40c.

**Double Hollyhock.** White, pink, red and yellow. Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Japanese Iris.** Magnificent Iris of the Kaempferi strain. Every plant will please. Mixed colors, my selection. Price, 12c. each; 3 for 30c.

**Lily of the Valley.** Strong crowns ready to flower. Price, 3 for 15c. (Orders for less than 3 not accepted.)

**Rudbeckia, Golden Glow.** A grand, hardy, yellow flowering plant. Flowers yellow and double, like roses. Easy to grow, blooms the first season. Price, 10c. each; 3 for 25c.

**Shasta Daisy.** Burbank's new Shasta Daisy. For description see p. 24. Price, 12c.; 3 for 30c.

### VIOLETS

Price, 10c. each; the 3 for 25c.

These Violets are not hardy in the more northern states and require the protection of the cold frame.

**California.** The largest single violet. Very dark blue, of delightful fragrance and extremely free-flowering.

**Lady Hume Campbell, Double Blue.** The most valuable violet, a remarkably free bloomer.

**Swanley, Double White.** Large, double, pure white.

## COLLECTION OF CLEMATIS

RED, WHITE AND BLUE

**FOR 35 CENTS POSTPAID.** Madame Andre, red, Henryll, white; Jackman purple-blue. All large-flowering



# SELECT VEGETABLE LIST

1. For the convenience of my patrons I offer a list of choice vegetable seeds, selecting only those of proved and standard value.

2. They are of the best stock, grown for me by professional growers who have a national reputation in their respective lines.

3. Free with any order for vegetable seeds of ten cents or over, my carefully prepared booklet on "Vegetable Culture."

Price, any packet, 4 cents; any 10 packets (your choice) 30 cents. Prices for larger quantities given below. All Postpaid.

**BEANS.** Henderson's Bush Lima. More largely grown than any other dwarf Lima. Early and continuously productive.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 18c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 45c.

Improved Golden Wax. Best early flat golden pod.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 45c.

Kentucky Wonder. (Old Homestead). Earlier than any other green pole bean.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 18c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 45c.

Prolific German Black Wax. Early round-podded variety, one of the best for the home garden.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 45c.

Red Valentine. Finest green-podded sort. Big yielder; most used for shell beans.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 45c.

Stringless Green Pod. Best of this sort in cultivation. Two weeks earlier than other early varieties.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 45c.

**BEEF.** Crosby's Egyptian. Very early; roots in alternate rings of white and red. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c.; 1 lb., 70c.

Edmand's Blood Turnip. Deep blood-red, very sweet and tender. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c.; 1 lb., 70c.

Beet Mixture. A mixture of the above two kinds. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 20c.; 1 lb., 70c.

**CABBAGE.** All Hean Early. An all-year-round Cabbage, early, large and uniform.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.; 1 oz., 25c.

Early Jersey Wakefield. Grown more for market than any other strain.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.; 1 oz., 25c.

Holland, or Danish Ball Head and Amagar, both Dutch Winter cabbages. Best winter keepers.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.; 1 oz., 35c.

**CARROT.** Danver's Half-Long. Best main crop variety; half-long with small tap-root; great producer. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30c.

Oxheart, or Guerande. Fine grained and sweet; good for stock or for the table. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 30c.

**CAULIFLOWER.** Early Snowball. Exceedingly early and one of the surest to make a solid, compact head. Highest grade, Danish-grown seed.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 45c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 75c.

Randolph Center, Va., Apr., '09. "The Melons from your seeds were splendid. One weighed over 30 pounds, and one Citron weighed 8 pounds."—Miss CLARA OSGOOD.

Sentinel Butte, N. D., Feb. '09. "I raised some very nice Cauliflower from your seed, on sod that was too tough to hoe, and from a premium packet of Beets I had nearly two bushels."—JESSE A. FISHER.

**CELERY.** Golden Self-Blanching. Stocks broad and heavy, blanching to a deep yellow.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 18c.; oz., 30c.

White Piume. Crisp, self-blanching sort of very easy cultivation. The earliest variety known.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 12c.; oz., 20c.

**SWEET CORN.** Country Gentlemen. Best and most popular medium and late variety. Very large ears.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

Golden Bantam. The best corn introduced in many years. Two years' use has proved its claims to be "The earliest, hardest, sweetest and most tender corn on earth." Make several sowings and have a continuous supply.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 20c.; pt., 30c.; qt., 50c.

Peep O'Day. From ten days to two weeks earlier than any other sort, and universally pronounced the sweetest of all sweet corn, early or late.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

Stowell's Evergreen. The standard main crop variety. Plant at the same time with the earlier kinds, and keep the table supplied until October.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

White Cory, Extra Early. Usually ready in 50 days. Very early, and one of the sweetest and best.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

Pop-Corn, White Rice.  $\frac{1}{2}$  pt., 12c.; pt., 20c.

**CRESS.** or Pepper Grass, Extra Curled. Crisp, pungent, ornamental leaves. Used as a garnish. Oz., 10c.

**CUCUMBER.** Early Cluster. Very early and prolific, short green sort for pickling. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 35c.

Improved Long Green. When young it makes the best of pickles, when ripe, fine for sweet pickles. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 35c.

Improved White Spine. One of the best sorts for table use. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 35c.

Cucumber Mixture. A mixture of the above three varieties. Oz., 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb., 35c.

**EGG PLANT.** New York Improved. Plants very productive and fruits large and well colored.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 20c.

**ENDIVE.** An excellent salad for fall and winter use, or it may be used as a garnish.  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 10c.

**KOHL RABI.** Purple Vienna. This has long been cultivated in the old country and should be better known here. A turnip-like bulb is formed above the ground, which is cooked when young and tender, the same as turnips. Sow from May to June. Oz., 20c.



**LETTUCE, Black Seeded Simpson.** Leaves curled, outer ones light green, inner almost white; non-heading. Oz., 10c.

**California Cream Butter.** Best summer-heading Lettuce. Heads large, solid, crisp, the interior blanched to a beautiful white. Oz., 10c.

**Early Curled Simpson, or Sillesia.** Crisp golden-leaved, with finely curled edges; non-heading. Oz., 10c.

**Early Prizehead.** Forms a large, loose head, stained reddish brown. Outer leaves curled. Very crisp and tender. Oz., 10c.

**Hanson Head.** One of the finest head lettuces. Inner leaves usually curled and twisted; fine for salad decoration. Oz., 10c.

**Lettuce mixture.** My five variety mixed. Oz., 10c.

**MUSKMELON, Burrell's Gem.** From the famous Colorado melon district. Like the Rocky Ford in shape but with orange flesh. Fairly melts in the mouth. Oz., 15c.

**Rocky Ford, or Netted Gem.** Second earliest melon. Round or slightly oval. Very prolific; flesh greenish and of luscious flavor. Oz., 10c.

**Osage, or Miller's Cream.** Always a standard sort. Most delicious. Oval in shape, flesh salmon color; very thick. Oz., 10c.

**Muskmelon mixture.** My three varieties mixed. Oz., 10c.

**WATERMELON, Citron.** For preserves. Oz., 10c.

**Ice Cream, or Peerless.** Flesh bright scarlet; solid to the center and sweet as honey. Oz., 10c.

**Phinney's Early.** Extra early, productive and fine flavor. Oz., 10c.

**Sweet Heart.** Large and extra early. Flesh bright red, tender, melting and sweet. Oz., 10c.

**Watermelon Mixture.** My three varieties mixed (not including Citron). Oz., 10c.

**OKRA OR GUMBO, White Velvet.** The young pods, sliced, are used to thicken and flavor soups. A delightful dish. Oz., 10c.

**ONION, Prize Taker.** Exterior, pale yellow; flesh white. Immense in size. Very productive medium early; mild. Oz., 25c.

**Red Wethersfield.** The best keeper and one of the most popular for general cultivation. Oz., 20c.

**Silver Skin.** (Large White Portugal). Early and mild; best for growing sets and pickles. Oz., 25c.

**Southport Red Globe.** Of immense size, solid and firm; excellent keeper. Oz., 20c.

**Yellow Globe Danvers.** One of the best for family use. Mild in flavor and an excellent keeper. Oz., 20c.

**Onion Mixture.** My five varieties mixed. Oz., 20c.

**PARSLEY, Champion Moss Curled.** It resembles a tuft of finely curled moss; very hardy and slow in seeding. Oz., 10c.

**PARSNIP, Hollow Crown.** Smooth, large, tender and sweet; one of the best. Oz., 10c.; ½ lb., 20c.

**PEAS, ALASKA.** A sweet, smooth, dark-blue pea, the earliest known. ½ pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

**American Wonder.** Most popular early pea; quality excellent; needs no brush. ½ pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 45c.

**Champion of England.** The most popular and best flavored tall pea. ½ pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

**Gradus, or Prosperity.** Extremely early, delicious in flavor, large and full-podded, 3 ft. ½ pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

**Premium Gem.** An early, dwarf green, wrinkled pea, of delicious flavor. ½ pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

**Telephone.** Tall growing, long bearing, late sort. Pods very large; flavor delicious. ½ pt., 15c.; pt., 25c.; qt., 40c.

**PEPPER, Red Cayenne.** Bright red. Pods small, cone-shaped scarlet when ripe. Pungent. ½ Oz., 12c.

**Chinese Giant.** Largest and finest red pepper in cultivation; flesh unusually thick and very mild. ¼ Oz., 15c.

**Ruby King.** Most popular, large fruited sort; splendid for stuffing. ½ oz., 12c.

**PUMPKIN, Japanese Pie.** An early crook-neck variety. Flesh deep yellow, of fine quality. Oz., 10c.

**King of Mammoth.** Sometimes two feet or more in diameter, and from 100 to 200 pounds in weight. Oz., 15c.

**Sweet or Sugar.** Makes delicious pumpkin pie. Oz., 10c.

**RADISH, Early Scarlet Turnip.** The standard early radish. Oz., 10c.

**French Breakfast.** Scarlet, olive shaped, white tipped. Very crisp and tender, and of beautiful color. Oz., 10c.

**Icele.** A beautiful transparent white radish, crisp and brittle; about three inches long. Oz., 10c.

**Long Scarlet Short-Top.** The favorite long market radish everywhere; six or seven inches long. Oz., 10c.

**Scarlet Turnip, White Tipped.** The favorite first-early radish. Ready in twenty to twenty-five days. Oz., 10c.

**Radish Mixture.** My five varieties mixed. Oz., 10c.

**RHUBARB, Burbank's Crimson Winter.** A splendid new rhubarb; makes as delicious a dish as any berry. ¼ Oz., 20c.

**SALSIFY, or Vegetable Oyster.** Sandwich Island. Superior in quality and flavor. Oz., 10c.

**SPINACH, Long Standing.** Best for family use. Oz., 10c.

**SQUASH, Delicious.** Unsurpassed for fall and winter use; the best flavored squash in existence. Oz., 15c.

**Early Summer Crookneck.** Oz., 10c.

**True Hubbard.** The standard winter squash. Oz., 15c.

**SWISS CHARD, or Spinach Beets.** The young leaves make delicious greens, and later the large white midribs may be used as asparagus or for pickles. Oz., 10c.

**TOMATO, Dwarf Champion.** Early, solid and smooth, leads all other varieties in productiveness. ½ Oz., 15c.; Oz., 25c.

**Earliana.** The largest extremely early variety, smooth, bright red, solid and meaty. ¼ Oz., 15c.; Oz., 25c.

**Livingston's Coreless.** Large, smooth, globe-shaped, full at the stem end and always free from green core. ¼ Oz., 10c.

**Ponderosa.** The largest and meatiest tomato, almost seedless, especially fine quality for slicing. ½ Oz., 20c.; Oz., 35c.

**Stone.** Bright red large, perfectly smooth, of the best table quality and very productive. ½ Oz., 15c.; Oz., 25c.

**Tomato Mixture.** The above four varieties mixed. ½ oz., 15c.; Oz., 25c.

**Small Fruited Tomatoes, Mixed.** A mixture of the currant, cherry and pear-shaped sorts in both red and yellow. ¼ Oz., 12c.

**TURNIP, Improved Purple Top Ruta Baga.** Hardy, productive, sweet and solid. Keeps perfectly all winter. Oz., 10c.

**Purple Top Strap-Leaf.** One of the best table and stock turnips. Good cropper; excellent keeper. Oz., 10c.

**White Egg.** Excellent for either early or late sowing. Oz., 10c.



# CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS 1910

*MISS EMMA V. WHITE,  
3010 Aldrich Ave. S.  
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1910

## Bargain Sheet

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## Special Bulb Bargain Offer.

If you are looking for BARGAINS this is your chance. By arrangement with a large grower of bulbs we are enabled to offer some especially fine bargains this year. Order by the name of the collection.

All our selection, and all sent postpaid.

- COLLECTION A. 5 fine named Orchid type Cannas, no two alike.....25c  
COLLECTION B. 5 fine named Crozy type Cannas, no two alike.....25c  
COLLECTION C. 5 fine named Foliage type Cannas, no two alike.....25c  
COLLECTION D. 12 fine mixed Cannas, no two alike.....50c  
COLLECTION E. 20 extra fine mixed Gladioli, Groff's Hyb. etc., medium sized bulbs, 25c  
COLLECTION F. 12 Gladioli, same as the above but larger bulbs.....25c  
COLLECTION G. 12 mixed Tuberose, medium size.....25c  
COLLECTION H. 6 mixed Tuberose, larger size, 25c  
COLLECTION I. 5 Dahlias, no two alike.....50c  
COLLECTION K. 6 Caladiums, 3 each of excellentum and esc. alba, small size, 50c  
COLLECTION L. 30 Cannas, assorted kinds, \$1.00  
COLLECTION M. 100 Gladioli, very fine mixed, a regular surprise collection, \$1.00  
COLLECTION N. 4 Yucca Filamentosa, a hardy plant of great beauty sending up spikes of white bell-shaped flowers to a height of 6 to 8 ft., dark green, sword-like leaves.....25c

See Special Premium Offer for Bulb Orders on page 48. Orders for these bargain collections will count toward the premiums there offered.

**Most Desirable  
Easily Grown  
Rapid Climber  
In the World.**

**Once Planted  
Will Grow  
a Lifetime.**

桂皮葡萄樹

**CHINESE CINNAMON VINES**  
Pride of the Flower Kingdom

Beautiful Leaves. Dainty Flowers. Exquisite Fragrance.

This Oriental Gem of the far East, comes to us a marvel of beauty and fragrance. Its rapid growth, abundant foliage and modest sweet-scented flowers, give it supremacy over all Foreign and Domestic climbers. The handsome, glossy, heart-shaped leaves and clusters of fragrant white flowers make a window arbor or veranda a perfect garden in itself.

They stand the severest winter, and burst forth in all their beauty and splendor very early in the spring. No one should miss planting this charming vine.

**PRICE OF  
Cinnamon Vine Tubers or Roots.**

Extra Quality—Sure to Grow.

1 Root Postpaid.....	5c
3 Root Postpaid.....	12c
6 Root Postpaid.....	21c

Write order at once.  
Plant any time up to June.

Beautiful Hardy, Entrancingly Fragrant  
Grows in shade or sun—well as dry  
No insects ever trouble—No winter harms.



## Australian Star Flower.

Luther Burbank's  
"Never Fading Flower."

A recent introduction to the floral world, and a most valuable addition to the class of Everlastings. The plant grows about a foot high, and bears clusters of beautiful, star-shaped, everlasting flowers that, when cut, retain their form and color permanently. I have some blossoms that are as pretty and bright now as when cut four or five years ago. Easily raised from seed. My seed was grown under Mr. Burbank's personal supervision. Pkt. 25 seeds, 8 cts.

## THE "TRIPLET" COLLECTION.

Three Baby Roses for 35 cts.

**Baby Rambler.** Brilliant crimson; the longest on the market and best known Baby rose. Price, 12 cts. each.

**Baby Dorothy.** Originated by the same grower as the above and a splendid companion to it. Practically the only difference is in the color of the flowers, which are a very bright and pleasing rose-pink, like those of the charming Dorothy Perkins. It is perfectly hardy and blooms without cessation from early spring until late in the fall. On the three-year old plant 100 blossoms have been counted to a cluster. Price, 16 cts. each.

**White Baby Rambler (rose).** This is identically the same in habit of growth and freedom of bloom as the other Two Baby roses. Price, 15 cts. each.

The Three Baby Roses for 35 cts.

American Wonder Lemon.  
Otaheite, or Dwarf Chinese Orange.

Two Popular Plants for 25 cts.

The Lemon makes a strong growth and is an elegant porch or lawn plant. The fruit, too, is very reliable. The Orange is dwarf and is a lovely pot plant, blooming most freely in the winter. The dark green foliage, the sweetly accented white blossoms and the little yellow fruits are a pleasing combination.

Price, 15 cts. each; the two for 25 cts.

## WONDER BERRY.

Luther Burbank's famous berry, offered for the first time last year, has caused widespread notice and comment. It is a cross between two wild Solanums, the fruit being something like that of the blueberry, only very much larger and blacker. It bears within three or four months from sowing, producing berries in abundance until frost, and may be used for the table, for pies or for cake. If you were desirous from trying the interesting novelty by the high price of last season, do not fail to take advantage of my moderate offer. My seed is grown by Luther Burbank himself, and you can rely on its quality and being true to name. For further description see catalog, p. 47.

Price, one packet, 8 cts.; 2 pkts., 14 cts.





## RED, WHITE and BLUE CLEMATIS Collection.

Three Plants for 35 cts.

*Madam Andre.*

*Jackmanni.*

*Henryi.*

**Jackmanni.** The old favorite, which every one has seen and admired for its marvelous clouds of bloom. The flowers are an intense rich violet purple with a soft velvety appearance that is indistinguishably beautiful.

**Henryi.** A vigorous grower and a free bloomer. The best large-flowered variety producing pure white flowers.

**Madam Edouard Andre.** The flowers are very large, usually six-petaled, of a distinct, pleasing shade of carmine.

**Orders for Clematis** should reach me not later than April 15th as they can be handled more successfully while in a dormant condition, and after that date they will usually have commenced to leaf out. Plants will not be shipped to northern parts, however, until danger of freezing in transit is passed. My "Culture of Flowers," which you would receive with this order, gives careful directions for cultivation of Clematis.

## SPLENDID NEW ASTERS and Other Novelties.

**VICK'S ROCHESTER ASTER.** Vick's late offering of the Comet class, sold last year under the name of Mikado, but having been adopted as the official flower of the City of Rochester, the growers have changed the name. A lovely mid-season Aster, delicate pink in color, very fluffy and graceful. The originators are selling this at 25 cts. a packet, but I am offering a small amount, bringing it within reach of the moderate purse. Pkt., 15 seeds, 6c.

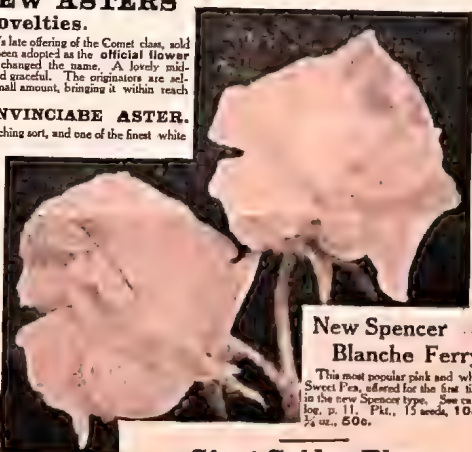
### HENDERSON'S WHITE INVINCIBLE ASTER.

One of Henderson's famous strains, a late-branching sort, and one of the finest white Asters grown. Pkt., 75 seeds, 6c.

**GREGO ASTERS.** Lovely Asters of the Comet style, in pink or white. The flowers measure 4 or 5 inches when well grown, and are of a perfection unsurpassed by any others of this class, having a fluffy, Chrysanthemum-like appearance, very beautiful. Either sort separate, or the two mixed. Pkt., 65 seeds, 6c.

**White Parisian Market Aster.** Not so large as the above, but perfect in form and very prolific, coming at least a month earlier. In fact, one of the earliest sorts grown, and on this account a valuable commercial Aster. Pkt., 90 seeds, 6c.

**Giant Jerusalem Cherry.** Well named, as the fruits are three or four times as large as the old sort, measuring  $1\frac{3}{4}$  to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter. Not to be compared in elegance or in the decorative appearance of the plant to the old sort. See catalog, p. 43. Pkt., 20 seeds, 6c.



### New Spencer Blanche Ferry.

This most popular pink and white Sweet Pea, offered for the first time in the new Spencer type. See catalog, p. 11. Pkt., 15 seeds, 10c.;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz., 50c.

### Giant Spider Plant.

A splendid plant for a hedge or where a screen is wanted. This is a new and greatly improved strain. See page 44 of my catalog. Packet, 6 cts.

## TWO NEW ROSES.

### Violet Blue, or Vellehenblau.

**A Blue Rose?** Yes, we have waited long for it, but it has been found at last, the result of many years of effort on the part of rose experts. It blooms in large clusters, similar to the Rambler roses, which on first opening are a sort of rose color, but soon change to a decided steel blue, like that of the early violets. It is a strong grower, very hardy and not subject to mildew.

### Everblooming Crimson Rambler,

or Flower of Fairfield. Who will not welcome a perpetual blooming climbing rose, especially in a variety so popular as the Ramblers. It is a sport from *Crimson Rambler*, has the same habit and color, tho' is perhaps a shade more brilliant and has greater rooting power to the sun. In bloom from early summer to late fall.

Price of each of the above two roses, 18 cts.; the two for 30 cts.



The New Blue Rose.



**DEAR FRIEND:****GREETING.**

This catalog is sent you either at your request, or at the suggestion of a friend of yours and one of my patrons.

I bespeak for it a careful examination. While it is modest in appearance and size, you will find a full and carefully selected list of flower seeds, together with the standard spring bulbs, plants and vegetable seeds. And you will find the prices not only reasonable but lower than in the majority of catalogs. I can afford to do this and yet furnish the best seed because of my methods, preferring

(1) To put the value into quality of seed rather than into expensive colored bags; and

(2) To give a proportional amount of seed. Most people do not care for so much of one kind, and you can thus get a greater number of varieties for the same outlay.

May I not have the pleasure of serving you also?

Should it happen that you receive two copies of this catalog, kindly hand one to some friend who grows flowers.

Yours for the love of beautiful flowers,

EMMA V. WHITE,

(over)



## Low-Priced Collections for High-Priced Times.

11 Packets Vegetable Seeds for 25 cts.

14 Packets Flower Seeds for 25 cts.

The Two Collections for 45 cts.

NOTE—Positively no change in this list. Premium Seeds offered on p. 1, or on Order Sheet, not allowed with this offer.

BEET	CARROT	CORN (early)	CUCUMBER	ENDIVE	LETTUCE	PARSLEY	PEAS (low)	RADISH	SPINACH	TOMATO					
ALYSSUM	ASTER	BUTTERFLY-FLOWER	GIANT	CENTAUREA	COSMOS	EUPHORBIA	VAREGATA	GALLARDIA	MARIGOLD	NASTURTIUM	OENOTHERA	ORNAMENTAL PEPPER	POPPY	SNAPDRAGON	SWEET PEAS

- NOTE:
1. These contain what every one wants for the vegetable or flower garden.
  2. They will furnish you vegetables or cut flowers for the entire season.
  3. Full-sized packets from my regular stock. All Postpaid.

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If not called for in 10 days return to

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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STATE \_\_\_\_\_

Miss Emma V. White,  
3010 Aldrich Ave. So.  
Minneapolis, Minn.



Before Sealing this envelope note carefully whether you have

- (1) Ordered everything you want and kept a copy of order
- (2) Signed your name and address distinctly
- (3) Sent proper amount







Pkts.

## FLOWER SEEDS.—Continued.

Price

AMOUNT BROUGHT FORWARD.

CARRY AMOUNT FORWARD TO NEXT PAGE.

TOTAL



45.

## VEGETABLES

Price

AMOUNT BROUGHT FORWARD

## PLANTS

CARRY AMOUNT FORWARD TO NEXT PAGE.

TOTAL



